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To the Honourable RICHARD PENN, *Eſq; Lieutenant Governor, and Commander in Chief, of the Province of* Pennſylvania, *and Counties of* New-Caſtle, Kent *and* Suſſex, *upon* Delaware,

The ADDRESS *of the* ROMAN CATHOLICKS *of the City of* Philadelphia.

May it pleaſe your HONOUR,

THE Roman Catholicks of this City beg Leave to offer their ſincere Congratulations, on your ſafe Arrival to the Government of this Province.---Truly ſenſible, and grateful to your Honourable Family, for the many Privileges, religious and civil, we have hitherto enjoyed, we hope for a Continuance of the ſame under your Adminiſtration.

Our Actions and Behaviour ſhall be the beſt Proof of the Sentiments we expreſs on this Occaſion, and on them we rely for a Share in your Protection and Regard.

In the Name and Behalf of the Congregation,
ROBERT HARDING.

The GOVERNOR's ANSWER.

GENTLEMEN,

I AM much obliged to you for theſe Compliments of Congratulation on my ſafe Arrival, and Appointment to the Government of this Province.

The grateful Senſe which you expreſs of the Behaviour of the Proprietaries towards you, gives me great Satisfaction, and you may depend upon a Continuation of the ſame religious and civil Privileges under my Adminiſtration, as you have hitherto enjoyed, not in the leaſt doubting, but that your Conduct and Actions will prove you deſerving of my Regard and Protection.

To the PRINTERS.

IT is an Obſervation I have frequently heard, and I believe it is founded in Truth, that the rendering Law-ſuits too cheap, is one of the greateſt Cauſes of ſtirring up a Spirit of Litigation and Diſcord amongſt the People. In one, if not more, of the New-England Governments, it is ſaid, that a Suit may be carried on to a Judgment for about Two Dollars, and I have been credibly informed, it is not uncommon to have from *Two* to *Three Thouſand* Writs in a Term returned to one of their Courts; for it is ſaid to be a common Practice with the Parties, to play a *Rubber* of Trials, and a Man muſt gain Two out of the Three before his Adverſary will ſubmit. The Writer of a Piece publiſhed in the Pennſylvania Gazette, No. 2234, ſigned, AN INDEPENDENT FREEHOLDER, and dated at Nottingham, has furniſhed me with a farther Evidence of the Truth of this Obſervation, ariſing in our own Province. It is a Truth generally known in this Province, that the Number of Actions for the Recovery of Debts, has been decreaſing for at leaſt five or ſix years paſt, and that the laſt Year has produced fewer Suits for Demands above *Ten* Pounds than any preceding Year (I believe I may ſafely ſay) for twenty Years paſt, except during the Time that all Law Proceedings were ſuſpended by the Stamp-Act. The *Independent Freeholder* tells us, that "from the beſt Enquiry, there were between *Eighty* and *One Hundred* Actions brought before Juſtices of the Peace in the *laſt* Year, *in the County of Burlington*, where the Debt or Demand was from *Six* to *Ten* Pounds." Now it will be found, on Enquiry, that in the Year immediately preceding the *Ten Pound Act*, there were but about twenty Actions brought in the County of Burlington, on which any Proceedings were had, for Demands between *Six* and *Ten* Pounds; ſo that by the *Freeholder*'s own ſhewing, that Act has occaſioned the bringing of Seventy Actions in a Year, more than there otherwiſe would have been, in the County of *Burlington only*; "where," he ſays, "there is as little ſuing for its Bigneſs as in any County in the Province." If we allow the ſame Increaſe in the other twelve Counties, in ſome of which we may ſuppoſe there is more ſuing, in Proportion to their Extent, the Increaſe of Suits occaſioned by that Law will be Nine Hundred and Ten in a Year! It is not therefore to be wondered at, if the Juſtices of the Peace, who have had the Profits of this Increaſe of Actions, ſhould "lament the Loſs of ſo "*uſeful* and *beneficial* a Law."

The Gentleman, I imagine, did not advert to this great Multiplicity of Suits, occaſioned by his favourite Law, when he made his Calculation of ſaving Two Thouſand Pounds a Year to the Province, or elſe, upon his own Principles, he would have found a conſiderable Ballance the other Way.

For, reckoning Ninety Actions per Annum in each County, for Demands from *Six* to *Ten* Pounds, for the thirteen Counties, there would be 1170 in a Year, which he rates at 20s. each, - - -	£ 1170 0 0
From which deduct 260, which would have been brought in the County Courts, which he rates at £4 each, - - - -	1040 0 0
Ballance againſt the Juſtices Courts, in Coſts only,	130 0 0
To which may be added, the great Loſs of Time in attending the Juſtices Courts. I am told it is no uncommon Thing to ſee near 100 Men attending a Trial before a Juſtice; but I will at preſent ſuppoſe that, on an Average, there is a Loſs of the Labour of 10 Men, and their Horſes, on each Trial, which, at 5s. per Day for each Man and Horſe, amounts to - - - - -	2925 0 0
Annual Loſs to the Province by the Ten Pound Law,	£ 3055 0 0

A Sum *quite* "ſufficient to ſupport the Civil Government of the Province!" But I am confident this Calculation is greatly below the Truth; for the Coſts on theſe ſmall Actions, in the County Courts, do not amount to Four Pounds each, on an Average, and I have ſeen ſeveral Bills of Coſts, for Trials before Juſtices, by Virtue of this Law, amounting from 40s. to 60s. each, and in Caſe of an Appeal to the Seſſions, or the Cauſe being removed by Certiorari, to which a Party is frequently driven, to avoid Injuſtice, the Coſts are oftentimes more than if the Cauſe had been originally proſecuted in the County Court.

But the Gentleman is pleaſed to ſay, that "but few Appeals "have been made from the Judgments of the Juſtices under this "Law, and none, that he has heard of, in the County of Bur-"lington, which proves, to a Demonſtration, the Uſefulneſs of "the Law." I muſt beg Leave to tell him, that he is miſtaken in theſe, as well as ſome other Facts, from which he draws his Concluſions. It may, for aught I know, be the peculiar Happineſs of the good People of Nottingham, to have ſuch good Magiſtrates, as that no Appeals from their Judgments have been thought neceſſary; but there have been *many* Appeals in the Province, yea, even in the County of Burlington, from Judgments given by Virtue of this Act; and there would have been a great Number more, had it not been that the Act itſelf prohibited an Appeal, where either Party choſe a Trial by a Jury, unleſs by Certiorari to the Supreme Court, and in that Caſe the Reaſons muſt have been filed in the Supreme Court Office, within one Month after the Juſtices Judgment, or the Party was without Remedy; and it has often happened, from the great Diſtance the Parties reſided from the Office, and other Difficulties and Expences which attend the obtaining and proſecuting a Certiorari, that the Party injured has ſubmitted to the firſt Loſs, rather than to purchaſe Redreſs at ſo dear a Rate.

The *Independent Freeholder* gives it as his Opinion, that there is not "any Law now in Force in the Province, that authorizes "Juſtices of the Peace to determine Actions of Debt of *One Shil-"ling*." I believe this is an Opinion peculiar to himſelf; at leaſt, I am unwilling to ſuppoſe that any Magiſtrate in the Province is ſo ignorant of the Rules of Law, as not to know, that the Law, with reſpect to their Juriſdiction, ſtands exactly as it did before the Making of the Ten Pound Act; the Law paſſed in 1768, giving Juriſdiction to the Juſtices, to the Amount of Six Pounds, being now in as full Force as ever it was.

I believe there is no Government in the World, in which the People have the Making of their own Laws, where the Trial of Property is committed to the Deciſion of a ſingle Magiſtrate, in a higher Degree than it is in this Province, by Virtue of the Six Pound Law. And, indeed, it would be dangerous to the Liberties of the People, as well as to the Intereſts of Individuals, that it ſhould be higher here. The People of England, to whoſe Care and Vigilance we are indebted for our excellent Conſtitution, and who have formed their Laws upon the Experience of many Ages, have never truſted a ſingle Magiſtrate with the Power of deciding Matters of Property, to a higher Amount than Forty Shillings. Juſtices of the Peace are Officers appointed by the Governor, and hold their Places during Pleaſure, and the more Power is annexed to their Offices, the more anxious will they be to obtain them, and, of courſe, they will be more obſequious when in Office, for Fear of being turned out. So that the undue Extenſion of their Power, may furniſh Tools to a bad Governor, to oppreſs the People, and deſtroy their Liberties. It is true, we run no Riſque of this Calamity during the Adminiſtration of the preſent Governor. We have now the Happineſs to be governed by a Gentleman, whoſe Conduct evinces an equal Regard for the juſt Prerogatives of the Crown, and the conſtitutional Privileges of the People. But he cannot continue with us for ever, and we know not who may be his Succeſſor. Therefore let it be remembered, that whoever ſucceeds him, be he ever ſo bad a Man (and what Security have we that he will not be ſo?) will be armed with the ſame Power that is now ſo confidently put into the Hands of a good One! And he may increaſe that Power at his Pleaſure, by adding what Numbers he pleaſes to the Commiſſions of the Peace.

On the other Hand, let us conſider the Intereſts of the Parties litigant. It is neceſſary that there ſhould be an Uniformity in the Laws for the Regulation of Property, by which People may ſquare their Contracts, and know by what Rules they are to be governed. And for this End the Law has wiſely conſtituted Courts, compoſed of the ableſt of the Magiſtrates, whoſe collective Opinion is to explain and direct the Operation of the Laws. But when this Power is diſtinctly veſted in each of the Magiſtrates, of whom there are many in each County, differing in Degrees of Underſtanding, and Knowledge of the Law, there will be a Diverſity of Opinions, and what is aſſerted to be Law by one, will be contradicted by another, ſo that no Man can know when his Property is ſafe, eſpecially if he is to be Defendant in a Suit; for the Plaintiff, having it in his Power to bring his Suit before what Magiſtrate he pleaſes, will apply to one, whoſe Opinion he knows to be favourable to his Cauſe. And how far a Juſtice of the Peace may be influenced by a deſigning Man, who has more Art, and perhaps more Underſtanding than himſelf; and how far he may exerciſe that Influence on a Jury, by ordering the Conſtable to pick Men for the Purpoſe, and by reſtraining the proper, and ſuffering improper Evidence to be laid before them, I will not undertake to determine. Nor would I be underſtood to inſinuate a Charge, or even a Suſpicion of theſe evil Practices, againſt the Body of the Magiſtrates: I know that many of them are Men of too much Senſe and Integrity, to be either ſubject to the one, or capable of the other. But Laws ſhould be ſo framed as that even bad Men cannot uſe them to do Evil. S. T.

New-Jerſey, October 26, 1771.

BOULTING-CLOTHS,

A LARGE and complete Aſſortment, of 5 and 6-qr. fine, ſuperfine, middling and coarſe, imported by ELLIS LEWIS, and to be ſold, on the loweſt Terms, at his Houſe, in Second-ſtreet, near Spruce-ſtreet, Philadelphia.

Millers and others, that are not well acquainted with BOULTING-CLOTHS, may depend on being ſupplied with the beſt in Quality, and Directions how to affix them on the Reels.-----A proportionable Diſcount will be made to thoſe that purchaſe to retail.

He has ſeveral Pair of Cologne Mill-ſtones on Hand, four Feet to four Feet four Inches broad, which will be ſold very low for Caſh or ſhort Credit. T. b. c. t. f.

Juſt imported in the laſt veſſels from London and Briſtol, and to be ſold by

JONATHAN ZANE, and SONS,

In Second-ſtreet, between Market and Cheſtnut-ſtreets, at the ſign of the Handſaw,

A LARGE and general aſſortment of ironmongery, ſadlery, braſs ware, dye ſtuffs, and painters colours, among which are hitchells, wool combs, iron caſtings of various ſorts, a variety of wool, tow and cotton cards, alſo twine, cinnamon, cloves, mace, nutmegs, camphire, aloes, ground ginger, ſaltpetre, antimony, pewter and glaſs, ſlates and pencils, writing paper, ſpelling books, pins, ticklinburgs, pieſs papers, fiſh ſkins, ſacking bottoms and lines, hair ſieves, riddle and rhean ſieves, linſeed oil, roll and flour brimſtone, rozin, ſhoe rubbers, Turkey oil ſtones, Ben ſoals, F and F F gunpowder, bar lead, ſhot, almanacks, boxes tin plates, bliſtered, calcined, and other ſteel, new American red clover, and timothy graſs ſeeds. 4 w.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on the 22d day of November inſt. at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, at the dwelling-houſe of Andrew Keckline, Inn keeper, in the townſhip of Rockhill, a certain piece or parcel of land, ſituate in Haycock townſhip, bounded by land of John Hany, and others, containing about 100 acres, be the ſame more or leſs, with the appurtenances; late the property of George Stephen Akerman, deceaſed, in poſſeſſion of William Deal, Executor of the ſaid George Stephen Akerman; ſeized and taken in execution by Joſeph Ellicott, late Sheriff, and to be ſold by RICHARD GIBBS, *Sheriff.* ¶

TO BE SOLD,

AN EXCELLENT good SPINNET, in very good Order. Enquire of the Printers hereof. §

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

HATTERS TRIMMINGS,

Imported in the laſt veſſels from England, to be ſold, by

SAMUEL FISHER,

Oppoſite the LONDON COFFEE-HOUSE, in Market-ſtreet. Likewiſe a neat parcel of Iriſh LINENS and SHEETINGS, mens, youths and boys felt and caſtor HATS, all which will be ſold on reaſonable terms.------*N. B.* He continues his buſineſs as uſual, where may be had this country made beaver, caſtor and raccoon hats, with good allowance to thoſe that buy by the quantity.

SAMUEL GARRIGUES, junior.

Has opened a retail ſhop, on the North ſide of Arch-ſtreet, the fourth door from the corner of Second-ſtreet, and next door to Dr. John Kearſly, junior; where he has for ſale cheap for READY MONEY, a ſmall but neat aſſortment of merchandize, imported in the laſt veſſels from Europe; amongſt which are,

FINE and coarſe broadcloths, Bath and beaver coatings, blue, red and cloth coloured 6-qr. duffils, rugs, blankets, ſpotted ſwankin, ſcarlet, red and emboſſed flannels, ſuperfine white and common ditto, Indian blankets, ſtriped lincey, red and white baize, Britiſh and German ozenbrigs, 7-8ths and yard wide Iriſh linens, 3-qrs. 7-8ths, yard wide, and yard and 3-8ths cotton and linen checks, ſhaloons, durants, tammies, poplins, dorſettees, cambiets and calimancoes, ſerge-denim, ſattinet, black and cloth coloured velvets and velverets, mens, womens, boys, and girls yarn and worſted hoſe, cambricks and lawns, half yard and ell wide perſians, black taffeties, ſewing ſilks, a neat aſſortment of callicoes, cottons and linens, muſlins and humhums, 9-8ths white and brown Iriſh ſheeting, Ruſſia ditto, Ruſſia drilling, ravens duck, narrow Ruſſia linen and diaper, with many other articles, too tedious to enumerate in an advertiſement. ¶

To be SOLD by private SALE,

A VALUABLE plantation, ſituate in Londonderry townſhip, Cheſter county, containing by computation 215 acres of land; whereof are cleared 120 acres, 25 acres of which meadow, moſtly watered, bearing timothy. There is on ſaid plantation a very good orchard, containing about 120 trees, of the beſt grafted fruit; alſo a good ſtone houſe, 36 feet by 25, two ſtories high, has two fire-places, is divided into convenient rooms, and has a cellar under the whole; there is alſo a barn about 60 feet by 25; the lands well watered, and the woodland well timbered. The quitrent is One Shilling ſterling per hundred. There is an indiſputable title for ſaid land. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may know the terms, by applying to the ſubſcriber, living on the premiſes, ¶ *WILLIAM KERR.*

Winchester, October 21, 1771.

THE ſubſcriber has for ſale ſundry tracts of land, lying in Hampſhire county, Virginia, as follows, viz. 614 acres on Patterſon's Creek; 296 acres on the South-branch of Potowmack; 400 acres on the North-river, with a ſmall improvement; 405 acres on the drain of the Leſs River, with ſome improvements. Alſo 935 acres of land, lying in Frederick county, Virginia, ſituated within the diſtance of 1 to 3 miles from the Town of Wincheſter, of ſtrong lime-ſtone land, and uncommonly well timbered, about 100 acres of cleared land, a conſiderable quantity of meadow land on the tract, of which there are about 12 acres ſowed with timothy. The whole will be ſold together, or in parcels, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſers, on eaſy terms for ready money, or ſhort credit, by ¶ *WILLIAM SCOTT.*

CAME to the plantation of the ſubſcriber, living in Menallon townſhip, York county, upon the 29th of July, 1770, a young STEER, a year old, marked a crop in the near ear, and a ſlit in the off ear, and he is red and white coloured. The owner is deſired to come, prove his property, pay charges, and take him away.
October 30, 1771. WILLIAM CARSON. §

CAME to the Plantation of Conrad Carlinger, in the Townſhip of Plymouth, about the Middle of May laſt, a little dark brown COW, ear-marked. The Owner deſcribing all her Marks, proving his Property, and paying the Charges, may have her again, from CONRAD CARLINGER. ¶

To be SOLD, by WILLIAM BROWN,

A WELL finiſhed HOUSE, two ſtory high, 26 feet front, and 40 feet deep, with a good kitchen and piazza, built ſuitable for two tenements, or one, with a lot the ſame breadth, extending from Second-ſtreet to Dock-ſtreet, joining a four feet alley, ſituate oppoſite the Bridge, formerly called the Drawbridge; the buyer may have his time for payment of one half the purchaſe money, paying intereſt for the ſame. Alſo a LOT of meadow LAND, on League Iſland, with a dwelling-houſe, and wharff, ſituate about the middle of the ſaid Iſland; containing 26 acres and ſome perches, within banks, and twice as much without banks. §

FRANCIS HOPKINSON,

At his ſtore in Front-ſtreet, between Market and Arch-ſtreets, hath for ſale,

A LARGE aſſortment of merchandize, imported in the laſt ſhips from London, which he will diſpoſe of on the moſt reaſonable terms, among which are ſuperfine, ſecond, and coarſe broadcloths, caſſimers, billiard cloths, ſuperfine new faſhion table carpets, curiouſly dyed; a variety of ſilks, conſiſting of paduaſoys, ducapes, mantuas, taffeties and perſians, India and Engliſh ſilk handkerchiefs, Iriſh linens, gulix holland, demy cambricks and lawns, long lawns, humhums, printed cottons and calicoes, printed handkerchiefs, diaper and damaſk table linen, clouting diaper, cotton and linen checks and ſtripes, Flanders ticks, common ticking and bed bunts, ginghams and damaſcus, Ruſſia ſheeting, drilling, huckaback, ravens duck, princes linen Ruſſia diaper, ozenbrigs, brown rolls, &c. &c. Alſo choice Port wine.

CHINA.

A LARGE and general Aſſortment of China Ware, juſt imported in Capt. Hubbs, from LONDON, is now ſelling By JOSEPH STANSBURY,

in Second-ſtreet, near Arch-ſtreet. Where Shop-keepers, and others, may be ſupplied, by the Box or ſmaller Quantity, at very reaſonable Prices.

Likewiſe Ravensduck, and ſundry dry Goods, Spices, Red-lead, Lytharge, Magnes, ground Redwood, Madder, Powder and Shot, by the Quantity. ¶

[*For more new* ADVERTISEMENTS *ſee the fourth Page.*]

PETERSBOURG, *August* 9.

SOME very violent ſtorms have lately fallen here. The lightning ſtruck a galley in the Port where they lay, and the fire communicating itſelf to others, 26 gallies and half gallies were conſumed, with a great quantity of ſtores and ammunition. The loſs is computed at half a million of rubles.

Caun, Auguſt 16. *Advice is this moment come, that Prince Fabulow, Lieutenant Col. of Huſſars, has totally defeated the van-guard of Koſakowſki's corps, which was under the command of Rittmeiſter Nowomieyſki. The action happened the day before yeſterday, near Boiſagola, in Samogitia. As no quarter was given to any one, there remains, of all the confederacy of Wielkomierz, which compoſed this van-guard, only the Sieur Nowomieſky, who was made priſoner. Immediately after this action, the Ruſſians prepared to attack Koſakowſki himſelf, for which purpoſe they have directed their march towards Roſſien; Kowſakowſki was but 9 miles from the place where the action happened, and has ſent a Jew here with a letter, in which he threatens us with fire and ſword.*

Baſtia, Auguſt 19. *Twenty-two Corſicans, headed by one Marſo Aquavia, all of whom eſcaped from the French, by wading over the river of Provenca, near Nice, landed near Cape Corſe, in the plain of Siſco, and began to aſſaſſinate all the French they met with. As ſoon as this was known at Baſtia, a detachment was ſent againſt them, but they retired into the mountains.*

Leghorn, Aug. 21. *The affairs of the Sultan do not ſeem to mend on the frontiers of Georgia. By letters from Tertus we are informed, that Prince Saloman ſurmounts all oppoſition in his rout, and that he advances by ſpeedy marches to the Black Sea, whilſt Prince Heraclius having joined the Ruſſians, purſues the conqueſt of Ottoman Armenia. The arrival of this news at Conſtantinople, makes peace very deſirable there, and the more ſo, as the Perſians have ſeriouſly menaced the Turkiſh frontiers. The preſent circumſtances of the Ottoman court, together with the ſecret negociations with the Empreſs of Ruſſia, and the Sophi, give ſome colour of truth to this laſt piece of intelligence.*

Vienna Aug. 28. *Yeſterday the Emperor left Luxembourg, and ſet out for the camp at Peſt, in Hungary.*

Hague, Sept. 3. *Copy of a letter from Peterſburgh, dated Aug. 13, to his Excellency Prince Gallitzin.*------"*According to the laſt accounts from the ſecond army, Balaklawa and Belby, two fortreſſes and ports in Crimea, the firſt of which is conſiderable on account of its ſituation for the ſecurity of the harbour, have been taken poſſeſſion of by our troops; ſo that all the fortified places of that Peninſula are now in our power; beſides three other little ports in the Black Sea, which are not ſet down in the maps. The Tartars of Crimea begin to come from the mountains, in order to return to their habitations, being buſy in getting in the harveſt.*"

Sept. 8. *Prince Gallitzin, the Ruſſian Envoy at this place, has received a letter from Leghorn, dated Aug. 23, adviſing, that after the junction of the armies of Cheik Daher to thoſe of Ali Bey, in Egypt, the army conſiſted of 60,000 men; and that a vaſt number of Arabs having joined him, he was actually marching at the head of 100,000 men, in order to conquer all Syria.*

St. James's, Sept. 7. His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint Charles Murray, Eſq; to be Agent and Conſul General in the Iſland of Madeira, on the Reſignation of Thomas Cheap, Eſq;

LONDON.

Auguſt 22. The letters ſigned *Junius*, are now generally ſuppoſed to have been written by William Gerrard Hamilton, Eſq; He is Chancellor of the Exchequer in Ireland, and Member for Old Sarum.

Auguſt 27. The following matter of fact at preſent engroſſes the converſation of the Beau Monde. Mrs. T. a married coquette, had addreſs enough (till lately) to blind her doating huſband; however, about three months ſince, Mr. T. was informed, that his Lady and Mr. H. were ſeen at a convenient viſiting-houſe, near St. James's Square. He followed them, but they had taken the alarm, and decamped in haſte. However, he walked up ſtairs, when the firſt thing he ſaw was an egret of ſome value, which he knew to be his wife's; he put it in his pocket, and, ſtifling his reſentment, aſked the lady of the houſe, if a Mr. B. a relation of his, was not in the Houſe? Being anſwered in the negative, he went away, ſeemingly ſatisfied, nor at his return home did he ſhow the leaſt Diſcompoſure The lady, therefore, thought herſelf ſecure; in the mean time the egret was advertiſed as loſt by a lady in a hackney chair. Soon after this diſcovery, he removed his lady and family to one of his ſeats, on the borders of Wales, where leaving her, on ſome pretence, he came to town, ſold off all his furniture, lodged his plate, jewels, &c. at a Banker's, and then made a viſit to Mr. H. whom he found in his dreſſing-room. He deſired to ſpeak with him in private, on which the ſervants were diſmiſſed. Mr. T. then faſtened the door, and laying the egret on the table, Sir, ſays he, I underſtand you have offered a reward for this ornament of Mrs. T-------, I am come to thank you, and repay you: Accordingly he gave the unfortunate gallant a hearty drubbing with an oak ſtick he brought with him for that purpoſe; then left him ſprawling on the floor, walked down ſtairs, got into his poſt chaiſe, and immediately ſet off for France, where he now is, while his wife is cloſe priſoner at the ſeat before mentioned.

Aug. 31. The Prince of Wales, we are aſſured, has already by heart, not only every thing written by Monteſquieu in general upon government, but every thing publiſhed by Milton and Locke on the nature of the Engliſh conſtitution.

We are aſſured, that it is in contemplation among the leaders of Oppoſition to bring in a bill during the next ſeſſion of Parliament, to raiſe the freeholders qualification from forty ſhillings to twenty pounds a year.

A correſpondent ſays, "A propoſition now lies before government, to make the majority of a Jury ſufficient to acquit or condemn, inſtead of requiring the verdict to be unanimous, which is productive of ſo many conſequences equally repugnant to reaſon and humanity."

A ſhip arrived from Davis's Straits this ſeaſon brings advice, that ſhe ſailed ſo far up to the pole that the magnetic compaſs had no power, and that ſhe then came into an open broad calm ſea, where there was not the leaſt appearance of ice or land.

Extract of a letter from Poland, dated Auguſt 2.

"*We have here ſome copies of a manifeſto, which the Porte has ordered to be publiſhed, to contradict the reports that were ſpread of her intention to abandon the intereſts of the General Confederacy, and the care of the affairs of Poland. This manifeſto concludes as follows:*

"*The Sublime Porte, ever pure in her principles and actions, and thanks be to God, far remote from all perfidiouſneſs and unjuſt proceedings, has good reaſon to be aſtoniſhed at that imputation, which cannot deceive any who are not blinded by their prejudices. Nevertheleſs, ſince it is become neceſſary to make known again, that Poland, and her good Citizens, are the objects of her benevolence and humanity; that ſhe will aſſiſt them with her whole force, and with all the power which the Moſt High has entruſted her with; and that thoſe who may have ſuffered themſelves to be ſhaken or intimidated by malignant inſinuations, ought, on the contrary, to rely on the favour and clemency of his Highneſs, who is the ſhadow of God on earth, and whoſe benevolent ſentiments towards the Republic are, and ſhall be equally unalterable in future, the Sublime Porte thought it requiſite to explain herſelf on the matter by this manifeſto.*

"*Given towards the middle of the Moon of Mecharem, the year of the Hegira* 1185. *(Of our æra, the beginning of May* 1771.)"

Sept. 7. *Six Couriers, with letters to the French Charge des Affaires, have arrived ſince the departure of the Count de Guignes. It is ſaid the Count is ſoon expected to return hither.*

Extract of a Letter from Peterſburgh, Auguſt 21.

"*The laſt Couriers that arrived from the ſecond army brought the following accounts, viz. that the Turks who were in the fortreſs of Taman, at the mouth of the ſea at Aſoph, on the ſide of Cuban, on the approach of the Ruſſians, aſked for five days to conſider whether they would capitulate, which they employed, as has ſince been diſcovered, in carrying off every thing that was valuable; ſo that the Ruſſians entered the place without firing one ſhot. They found a Prince of the family of the Chan Schiten, who ſubmitted to our Sovereign.*

The Re-election of the preſent Lord Mayor is ſo generally conceived to be a matter of certainty by the citizens of this metropolis, that it is expected no other formalities will be obſerved on the occaſion than the public ones, calculated rather to diſplay the ſplendour of the metropolis, than eſſential to the appointment of their Chief Magiſtrate.

Sept. 8. Monday night, at ten o'clock, died at Putney, Robert Wood, Eſq; one of the Under Secretaries of State, Maſter of the Revels, in Ireland, and Member of Parliament for Blackley, in Northamptonſhire.

The following is a true copy of a Painter's bill, at Cirenceſter, in Glouceſterſhire, delivered to the Church-wardens of an adjoining pariſh:

Mr. Charles Ferebee (*Church-warden of* Siddington) *to* Joſeph Cook, *Dr.*

To mending the Commandments---Altering the Belief---and making a new Lord's Prayer, -	£ 1 10

Sept. 9. *It was currently reported all day yeſterday, that two great perſons had been ſent to the Tower at 2 o'clock the ſame morning, being charged with being concerned in the late fire at Portſmouth.*

A correſpondent from York informs us, that Sir G---E--- had lately arrived in that city, and taken a houſe for the reſidence of himſelf and family; ſince which ſome ſhrewd politicians have pretended to diſcover that this crafty Scot has had ſome private interviews with the Marquis of R--------; from which it is ſuſpected that a coalition is on the point of taking place; nay, ſome have even gone ſo far as to mention the terms ſtipulated.

Among other articles agreed upon are the following:

1. *Mr. Dowdeſwell to be Chancellor of the Exchequer.*
2. *Lord North to remain at the head of the Treaſury; but to be called up to the Houſe of Peers by writ, by the title of Viſcount Dillington.*
3. *Lord Rockingham to be Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.*
4. *Lord Mansfield to be Chancellor.*
5. *Sir Fletcher Norton Chief Juſtice of King's Bench.*
6. *Thomas Townſhend, Eſq; to be Speaker of the Houſe of Commons.*
7. *Edmund Burke, Eſq; to be a Vice Treaſurer of Ireland.*
8. *And a Repeal of all the American Revenue Laws.*
9. *With a total proſcription of the Shelburne faction.*

Sept. 10. *In the courſe of laſt week General Conway had three conferences with his Majeſty, ſaid to be on the ſubject of ſome intended regulations in the Board of Ordnance.*

It is ſaid that ſome diſpatches of importance were laſt week ſent off to the Britiſh Conſuls in the Mediterranean and Levant.

We are aſſured that ſome extraordinary changes in the Admiralty and Navy-Offices will take place at the beginning of the enſuing winter.

We are told that the Dutch, ſeeing the preſent fluctuating ſituation of affairs in Europe, are prudently ſecuring themſelves, by ſending freſh ſupplies to the oriental and weſtern ſettlements.

Sept. 10. *We have this moment received advice that the Chan of Tartars, and all thoſe of that nation who remained with him, have put themſelves under the protection of the Empreſs of Ruſſia; that the Flotilla from Azoph is now in the Black Sea; and that the Ruſſians have ſeized a great number of ſhips, which the precipitate retreat of the Turks had not permitted them to ſave.*

Extract of a Letter from Prince Dolgorucki, Commander in Chief of the Ruſſian Army in the Crimea, dated Caſa, July 19.

"*All the Crimea is happily conquered. Kerizi and Janicola have ſubmitted to the arms of our Sovereign. We are maſters of the Iſle of Taman; ſo that nothing further remains for me at preſent to do, but to maintain them. Having thus completed what I propoſed, I am now employed only in providing a Twelvemonth's proviſions for my army. I have already eſtabliſhed a magazine of ſubſiſtence for five months, in a fort at a place called Szaytyre, ſeventy Werſtes from Precop.*"

Extract of a Letter from Paris, Sept. 2.

"*The ſudden arrival in this city from London of Count de Guignes threw us all into a ſurpriſe, imagining ſome very great and important matters were upon the carpet; and what confirmed us in this opinion the more, a council was immediately held, and before it broke up diſpatches were ſent to every Sea Port in this kingdom, from which it is conjectured that a war is near at hand. We have likewiſe learned, that another reaſon for the Count's ſudden appearance here, is on account of ſome very important diſcoveries being made in London with regard to the fire at Portſmouth, not at all to the honour of the French. As ſoon as the council broke up, expreſſes were ſent to Spain and Portugal on ſome extraordinary affairs, which time can only diſcover, as every one about the court is quite ſilent as to what has paſſed there, and are ſo very reſerved in converſation, they will not enter upon any ſtate or political matters. However, this we are certain of, that unleſs France is aſſiſted by Spain and Portugal, and the Dutch ſupplies them with money, the finances are ſo low, that they will not be able to carry on a war one year, but nothing will be done till the return of the couriers from Spain and Portugal.*"

Sept. 14. *At the meeting of the livery, held on Wedneſday night, Mr. Archer in the chair, the report from the Committee, who had been deſired to enquire into the privileges of their fellow-citizens, was conſidered, and ſeveral reſolutions reſpecting that matter, and the future elections of repreſentatives to Parliament, was read and agreed upon, and directed to be laid before the Common-Hall for their approbation; after which the following reſolution was carried almoſt unanimouſly.*

Reſolved, hat it be recommended by this meeting to the Livery in Common-Hall aſſembled, to return Mr. Alderman Bridgen, together with the preſent Lord Mayor, to the court of Lord Mayor and Aldermen, for their choice of one of them to be Lord Mayor of this city for the Year enſuing.

The Lord Mayor has received a letter from the Mayor of Briſtol, informing his Lordſhip, that the man who pretends to have been an acting perſon in ſetting Portſmouth dock on fire, was at Briſtol, and tranſacted ſome buſineſs for a gentleman in that place, at the time he pretends to have been at Portſmouth.

Extract of a Letter from Yarmouth, Sept. 11.

"*A ſhip was loſt laſt night about one mile off at ſea; ſhe is a Weſt-Indiaman, loaded with rum and ſugar; her maſts lay out off the water this morning, but ſhe is now quite ſunk.*"

Lord North has declared he will not quit the helm till he has conveyed the political veſſel into a quiet harbour. "*I took the command (ſaid he, lately to a naval friend) in the midſt of a hurricane, and have almoſt reached a port of ſecurity; when I caſt an ancher to my ſatisfaction there, the Admiral may give the rudder to whom he pleaſes, and my beſt wiſhes for a proſperous voyage ſhall certainly attend the new Captain.*"

A ſuppreſſion of what is termed the rotten *boroughs, and an allowance of repreſentation to places of real conſequence, will, we are aſſured, be moved for by Lord North early in the enſuing ſeſſions, that the people may really diſcover the true friends of the conſtitution.*

The pretended diſcoveries of Dudley and Britain, relative to ſetting fire to Portſmouth dock-yard, gain not the leaſt credit at the weſt end of the town; but they are impatient to know how the hum will end.

Britain and Dudley are culprits deſerving a ſevere puniſhment, whether they did or did not actually ſet fire to Portſmouth dock-yard.

Britain was a priſoner for forgery, and Dudley for debt, and their information is thought to be a ſcheme to get rid of their difficulties, and a releaſe from confinement.

The Northington Eaſt-Indiaman, lately arrived, hath brought over an Arabian Poney, extremely fierce and ravenous, valued at 3000 guineas, and the whelp of a wild tiger. In her paſſage ſhe met with a ſtorm, when both got looſe. The horſe killed one man, and devoured him, and tore out the bowels of another, before they could ſecure him again. The whelp got upon the gibboom, where it ſat a conſiderable time, to the no ſmall terror of the ſhip's company; at laſt a Sailor ſwore, if the Captain would give him a *Cann*, he would fetch it down if it was the Devil. The promiſe given, up went the Tar, and brought him down as gentle as a Lamb. The whelp, it is ſuppoſed, had a ſtrong ſenſation of its danger, and expreſſed its gratitude to its kind preſerver, by permitting him to play with it with great familiarity, whilſt to every other perſon who approached him, he ſhewed the Ferocity of his nature.

Amongſt the many reports about the perſons of high rank that are concerned in the fire at Portſmouth, it is ſaid, that a Great Perſonage, who has long been the cat's paw of an unpopular junto, is very ſtrongly ſuſpected of having ſome concern about that buſineſs. People are tender in ſpeaking out upon the occaſion, but it is certain that he is, and for ſome time has been, in actual cuſtody; his houſe is night and day ſurrounded by a ſtrong guard, and when he is permitted to go abroad, he is conſtantly attended by a troop of light horſe.

It is ſaid, in regard to the colonies, that all due obedience to the Mother Country will be inſiſted on, and that in return every neceſſary aſſiſtance and protection will be afforded.

We are told that the AMERICAN TEA BILL will be repealed. It is certainly not worth while for England to quarrel with her colonies for ſo trifling a revenue as is raiſed in conſequence of that act.

His Royal Highneſs the Biſhop of Oſnaburgh, it is ſaid, will ſhortly be created Duke of York.

Extract of a Letter from Yarmouth, Auguſt 22, 1771.

"We have had a ſhip wrecked on this coaſt, ſhe was loaded with wheat and flour. It is not known as yet where ſhe came from, nor where ſhe was bound to; our people went out laſt week a fiſhing for herrings, and found above 40 caſks of wheat flour, 1 Cwt. and a half in each caſk, and other materials belonging to a veſſel. Upon ſome caſks there was marked, Okleby and Baltimore, by that it is thought ſhe came from New-England. There were no corpſe found, only part of the cabin, the glaſs windows, &c.

A PICTURE of EUROPE for 1771.

RUSSIA. Standing in a bold attitude, is adding another quarter to her arms. The Empreſs, ſitting triumphant on a throne, with ſeveral wreaths of laurel fluttering round her temples, is ſurrounded by the Ruſſians with their ſwords drawn, and 30,000 Turks in a kneeling poſture.

DENMARK. The King ſitting in a court of juſtice in the midſt of his nobles, tearing away and deſtroying old records, and replacing them with new. Fame, with her trumpet, appears ſuſpended over his head; and a dove, with an olive wreath, is perched upon his ſhoulder.

SWEDEN. The young King, on a raiſed pedeſtal, appears embracing a Nobleman, a Clergyman, and a Peaſant, at the ſame time, by the necks.---Emblems of the ſtate of government; during which time he keeps a cloſe eye on his brother of Denmark.---The figure of *Juſtice* appears in the back ground, but very obſcurely.

PRUSSIA. This Monarch, painted with a head full of eyes, is continually running about on tip-toe from one corner to another, and peeping from eaſt to weſt, from north to ſouth. His eyes growing very *dim*, he wears ſpectacles.

POLAND. A tall, meagre figure, with one arm and one leg. A broken ſhield by her ſide, and an olive branch torn in a thouſand pieces, lying behind her. A Ruſſian, pretending to anoint her wounds, pours oil over her ſores, but at intervals throws in a ſpoonful of vinegar.

HUNGARY. This Queen appears with a little boy in her hand, whoſe head is uncovered; ſhe leads him about from place to place, in ſearch of *ſomething* to put on his head, which ſhe is not likely to find.

GERMANY. The Emperor in a prodigious buſtle---appears in a ready humour for quarrelling-----ſhakes his head at Ruſſia-----ſmiles on the Electors---nods at the King of Pruſſia---offers his hand to Poland, and then draws it back---A comely figure, but much puzzled.

HOLLAND. While all other nations are *thinking* of making money, the Dutch are *making* it with all the eaſe and expedition poſſible.

FRANCE. The King appears in his cabinet very confuſed.---The Chancellor at one ear; and the Comptroller at the other: The former diſplays all the records of the kingdom in his hand, and threatens to burn them, whilſt the latter waves an empty purſe; in the back-ground, a lame ſeaman, and a ſoldier with a fire-lock cocked to his Monarch's breaſt.

SPAIN. Appears with a long Toledo, keeping England at bay. Counts over a few dollars. Views eagerly 40,000 men, who appear unarmed on a large plain. Having turned her back upon France, ſhe leans with with her right arm on the genius of South-America.

PORTUGAL. An old man upon a couch. Makes ſeveral Attempts to ſtrike a blow, but trembles for the conſequence.

ROME. The Pope repeating homilies---nineteen Cardinals ſinging penitential hymns. His Holineſs's hat nodding on one ſide of his head. At a diſtance a Spaniard and a Frenchman dancing, after breaking their chains.

NAPLES. The King ſtretched in an arbour, liſtening to the muſic of a full concerto---has eunuchs for attendants.

SARDINIA. His Majeſty booted and ſpurred---always ready for march.---Squints over to Corſica.

GREAT BRITAIN. On her knees, the cabinet counſel playing at back-gammon. A ſecretary of ſtate ſingeing the red roſe at a candle. Neptune ſupporting the throne, with his head off.

IRELAND. Barefooted. Singing the Iriſh Howl.

WILLIAMSBURG, *October* 31.

On Friday Evening his Excellency the Governor gave a Ball at the Palace, in Honour of our gracious Sovereign, it being the Anniverſary of his Acceſſion to the Throne. The Company was numerous and brilliant, and the Entertainment elegant. The Raleigh Tavern was likewiſe opened for the Reception of thoſe who did not chuſe to attend at the Palace. The City was handſomely illuminated, and Plenty of Liquor given to the Populace.

BOSTON, October 31.

Capt. Montreſor arrived in Town from New-York on Sunday was Sennight, with Orders to make the neceſſary Repairs and Alterations at Caſtle-William. We are informed that as the Seaſon is ſo far advanced, nothing more is intended before the Spring than rebuilding one of the wharves, and ſecuring the Works againſt any Damage from Storms in the Winter.

Nov. 4. This Morning arrived here Captain Coffin, in 7 Weeks from London: On his Paſſage he took up ten Men that had been in a Boat five Days, which belonged to a Veſſel, called a Raft, which foundered at Sea, Greenleaf, Maſter, bound from Newbury to London.

NEWPORT, November 4.

Capt. Packard, from Hiſpaniola, informs, that Capt. Peter Simon, in a Sloop, from this Port for the Weſt-Indies, in a hard Gale off that Iſland, loſt all his Horſes, his Maſt, had one whole Side ſtove in, and put into Cape Francois in that ſhattered Condition.

On the 24th of December, 1715, the Ship Samuel, of this Port, arrived from London; the Captain, Chief Mate, Steward and two Paſſengers, were all living in and near this Town within a Week paſt, whoſe Ages, added together, amount to 393 Years, viz.

Captain	94
Mate	86
Steward	76
One Paſſenger	72
One Ditto	65
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NEW-HAVEN, November 1.

This Day ended the Fall Seſſions of our General Aſſembly.---They have ordered 12,000 l. to be emitted, without Intereſt, to ſupply the Treaſury. And have made a Law to prevent the New-York new Money from paſſing in this Colony, after the Firſt of January next.

NEW-YORK, *November* 11.

The Virginia Papers contain the Addreſſes of his Majeſty's Council, of the Mayor, Recorder, and Aldermen of the City of Williamſburg, of the Preſident and Profeſſors of William and Mary College, of the Clergy of the Church of England, to his Excellency Lord Dunmore, Governor of Virginia, on his Appointment, and Arrival in that Colony. In theſe Addreſſes, his Excellency Lord Botetourt, the late Governor, is mentioned in the higheſt Terms of Reſpect. And the Governor in his Anſwers to ſome of them, very reſpectfully mentions New-York, and ſeems to regret his removal from it---Part of his Anſwer to the College is in the following words:---"*And though I muſt acknowledge the Deſire I had of remaining in New-York, from the ſincere Affection I had conceived, and ever ſhall retain, for a Province, the People whereof had manifeſted ſo earneſt an Inclination to make my Adminiſtration eaſy to me, and my Reſidence among them agreeable; I ſhall nevertheleſs exert my utmoſt abilities to conciliate the Affections of the Colony, which I now have the Honour to preſide over, &c.*"

On the 12th *of October, his Excellency the Earl of Dunmore, Governor of Virginia, iſſued a Proclamation, diſſolving the General Aſſem-*

bly of Virginia, the Reasons for which are not mentioned, nor any Thing of the Election of a new Assembly.

Thursday last the Lord Hyde Packet, Captain Goddard, sailed with the Mail for Falmouth.

A Letter from JAMES PARKER, Esq; Mayor of the City of *Perth-Amboy*.

To Lieutenant Colonel MAURICE CARR, *of his Majesty's Twenty-ninth Regiment of Foot.*

SIR,

ALTHOUGH it has been the Practice of other Towns in this Province, to address the Commanding Officers of any of his Majesty's Troops that have been in them, on leaving their Quarters, the Corporation of this Place have always declined it, esteeming it a Compliment not in Character; but as it has generally been done, and a Neglect of it (or something of the Kind) at this Time might be construed in a Light unfavourable to his Majesty's 29th Regiment, which you have had the Honour to command whilst quartered amongst us; from a meer motive of Justice, the Corporation of this City have directed me, in this Way to declare to you, and the Gentlemen Officers of your Corps, their Sense of the great Harmony that has subsisted between them and the Gentlemen of this Place, of the Peace and good Agreement that has been maintained between the whole Regiment and the Inhabitants, and of the Respect you have on all Occasions paid to the Civil Magistracy.

These are the natural Consequences of a proper Discipline, which has been strictly observed in the Regiment under your Command; which has gained you so great an Esteem, that it is with the utmost Concern we find you are ordered to other Quarters. Give me Leave to assure you in Behalf of the Corporation, that whatever may be your Destination, the Honour of the Regiment, and Prosperity of the Gentlemen Officers, will always be accompanied with their best Wishes. I have the Honour to be,

SIR, *Your most obedient, humble Servant,*

Perth-Amboy, Nov. 2, 1771. JAMES PARKER, Mayor.

Col. MAURICE CARR.

We are informed from New-Brunswick, that the Mayor of that Place, with the Aldermen, Common Councilmen, and sundry other of the principal Gentlemen, jointly presented an ADDRESS to Capt. *French*, Commanding Officer of the three Companies of the 29th Regiment quartered there, in these Words following.

To JEREMIAH FRENCH, Esq;

Captain and Commanding Officer of the three Companies of the 29th Regiment, quartered in the Barrack of this Place.

SIR,

THE just Sense we have of the Benefits and Satisfaction which the Inhabitants of this Place have enjoyed from that mutual Correspondence, Peace and Harmony, which has subsisted between them and the Troops under your immediate Command, during their being quartered in these Barracks, demands our Acknowledgment.

We therefore beg Leave in this public Manner, to return you, and the other Officers quartered with you in this Place, our most sincere Thanks for the happy Effects of your prudent and commendable Conduct, clearly manifested in that gentle, humane Character, which you and the other Gentlemen have supported during your Residence amongst us. And it is to this exemplary Conduct we chiefly ascribe that generally sober and orderly Behaviour of the Men under your Command, which, to their Credit, in general, appeared to be remarkably well.

Be pleased, Sir, with this Testimony of our Regard, to accept of our best Wishes for your Health and Happiness; and also, that your Promotion may be speedy and adequate to your Merit.

New-Brunswick, October 30, 1771.

To which Captain French was pleased to return the following

Answer.

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN *you my sincere Thanks for the Honour you have done me, and the other Officers, by your very obliging Address. It gives me the greatest Pleasure to receive this public Testimony of your Approbation of my Conduct and theirs, and the sober orderly Behaviour of the Troops under my Command. The Civilities I have received from the Inhabitants of this Place, and in particular your good Wishes for my Health and Promotion, will always claim my Gratitude, and best Wishes for their Prosperity.* New-Brunswick, Oct. 30, 1771.

Afterwards the Officers were invited by the Gentlemen to an elegant Entertainment, at the White-Hall Tavern.

PHILADELPHIA, November 14.

To the *Honourable* RICHARD PENN, *Esq; Lieutenant Governor, and Commander in Chief, of the Province of* Pennsylvania, *and Counties of* New-Castle, Kent *and* Sussex, *upon* Delaware,

The humble ADDRESS *of the Commissary, Pastors and Minister Extraordinary, of the Swedish Lutheran Mission in* Delaware; *together with the Rector, Church-wardens and Vestry-men, of the United Incorporated Swedish Lutheran Churches of* Wicacoa, King-sessing *and* Upper Merion, *in the County of* Philadelphia; *and of the Rector, Church-wardens and Vestry-men, of the Swedish Lutheran Church at* Christiana, *in* New-Castle *County.*

May it please your HONOUR,

WE beg Leave to improve the earliest Opportunity our distant Situation affords, of joining the general Voice of other Societies, in offering up our most sincere and affectionate Congratulations upon your safe Arrival among us, and happy Accession to the Government of this Province, and Counties of *New-Castle, Kent* and *Sussex*, &c.

Sensible of the kind Protection, religious as well as civil, our Ancestors met with at the Time it pleased Providence to throw the Reins of Government into the Hands of your worthy Grandfather, and calling to Remembrance many Instances of favouring Countenance, our Society hath received from the Honourable Proprietary Family, permit us, Sir, to flatter ourselves with the Prospect of the same promising Hopes, now glowing in the Breasts of others; that every due Encouragement and kind Countenance will be readily granted by your Honour unto a Church, whose Existence has been the most antient within your Government.

We sincerely wish that the Beginning of your Administration may be moulded into Prosperity, and that its firm Continuance may be crowned with never failing Satisfaction to yourself, and undisturbed Happiness to the People whom you preside over.

JOHN WICKSELL, Commissary.

ANDREW GOERANSSON, Rector of *Wicacoa, Kingsessing* and *Upper Merion* Churches.

LAWRENCE GERILIUS, Rector of the Church at *Christiana.*

The GOVERNOR's ANSWER.

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN *you my hearty Thanks for this kind and obliging Address, and particularly for your good Wishes towards me, and the very respectful Manner in which you speak of my Family. You may be assured, that the antient Church, to which you belong, shall receive from me, upon every Occasion, all the Encouragement in my Power to give it.*

On the 5th Instant departed this Life, at Cohansey, the Rev. WILLIAM RAMSAY, M. A. after a tedious Sickness of 8 Weeks, which he bore with Christian Patience and Resignation. It may be truly affirmed of him, that he was a kind husband, a tender Parent, an affectionate Friend, a faithful evangelic Minister, and a SINCERE CHRISTIAN. His animated Preaching, and exemplary Life, made him truly respectable, and eminently useful. What he preached *in the Pulpit*, his Life preached *out of it*; being, as it were, a practical Comment on that holy Religion which he so warmly recommended. In sundry lucid Intervals of his tedious Sickness, he earnestly recommended a Life of strict Piety to all around him, and repeatedly declared his steady Assurance, that, through the Merits of Christ, Death natural would be his Birth to Life eternal. Thus cheerfully resting his Soul on the Doctrines of Grace, which he invariably preached, he expired without a Sigh or a Groan.------*See with what Peace a Christian can die.*

Captain Lindsay, from Liverpool, on the 19th of last Month, in Lat. 37: 39, Long. 59: 41, spoke the Rainbow, Captain Powell, from Colerain for New-York, 6 Weeks out, all well. On the 21st, in Lat. 37: 47, Long. 63: 30, he passed close by the Wreck of a large Sloop, New-England built; her Mast was carried away about six Feet above the Deck, and her Bowsprit gone, no Body on board; she had a black Stern, and bright Sides, was full of Water, and had Lumber swimming in the Hatchway; her Boat was gone, and every Thing off her Deck, except some of her Rigging, and did not appear to have been long in that Condition; a Gale of Wind coming on, prevented his going on board, to make any further Discovery.

The Sloop Hannah, Captain May, which sailed about the 12th of September from St. Eustatia for this Port, is put into North-Carolina to refit, having on the Passage, on the 20th, met with a violent Gale of Wind, in which a Sea struck the Vessel with such Force, that it unstepped the Mast, which in its Fall tore up Part of the Deck, laid her on her Beam Ends, shifted the Hold, and carried away her Bowsprit; after getting clear of the Mast, they trimmed the Hold, and she righted; and when the Gale abated they got up a Jury-mast, and arrived in Carolina 15 Days afterwards.

Captain Williams, arrived here from St. Eustatia, informs, that the Brig Peggy, Captain Conyngham, from this Place, arrived at Antigua, after a tedious Passage, having lost his Mainmast, disabled his Foremast, and damaged his Cargoe, in a Gale of Wind: And that Captain Vickery, in a Brig from Virginia, is arrived at Montserrat, with the Loss of his Masts; the Vessel and Cargoe a good Deal damaged.

Captain Carlisle was to sail from St. Christophers for this Port, about the 28th of last Month.

ARRIVALS.

From Philadelphia. Captain Miller, at Dublin; Campbell, at Halifax; Caton, at St. Christophers; and Captain Woods, at Dominica.

The Snow Dickinson, Captain Johnson, of this Port, is arrived at Dublin from Baltimore.

Captain Scovell, from New-York, is arrived at St. Eustatia.

Captain M'Gowan, from Londonderry, is arrived at Halifax.

Captain Smith is arrived at Liverpool, and Captain Samson, at Bristol, both from Virginia.----And Captain Pole, from Maryland, at Milford.

Gravesend, Sept. 10. Arrived, the Ann, Lawrence, from New-York; and Plasley, Hanzel, from Piscataqua.

Deal, Sept. 10. Came down and sailed, the Hand-in-Hand, Berrien, for Philadelphia.

At a General Meeting of the Contributors to the Scheme for promoting the Culture of *Silk*, the first Instant, the following Gentlemen were chosen Managers. *Benjamin Morgan*, Dr. *William Smith*, Dr. *Cadwalader Evans*, Dr. *Francis Alison*, *Edward Penington*, *Thomas Clifford*, *Abel James*, Dr. *Charles Moore*, *Isaac Bartram*, *Joseph Pemberton*, *Robert Strettell Jones*, *Samuel Miles.*

Treasurer, *William Smith.*

*** *To-morrow*, at Three o' Clock in the Afternoon, will be sold by public Vendue, at the Filature, in Seventh-street, a Quantity of *Floss* and *Refuse Silk.* Nov. 14, 1771.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, *Philadelphia*, INWARD ENTRIES.

Sloop Charming Sally, D. Sanders, Cape Nichola. Schooner Charming Nancy, J. Hardie, Halifax. Schooner Lucy, W. Casey, Virginia. Sloop Sally, T. Alberson, New-York. Ship Hercules, C. Linsey, Liverpool and Cork. Ship Betsy, J. M'Creight, Liverpool.

OUTWARDS. Ship Nancy and Sukey, J. Robinson, Snow Barbados Packet, W. Sutton, and Brig Rachel, L. Simmons, Lisbon. Ship Kitty and Peggy, D. Ferguson, and Brig Polly, D. M'Cutchon, Belfast. Schooner Susanna, T. Palmer, Ship Sally, J. Osman, and Ship Wallace, J. Wilson, Jamaica. Ship Charming Sally, J. Cooper, Newry. Brig William and Mary, J. Mather, Antigua. Brig James, J. M'Culloch, Cork. Brig Greenock, J. Scott, Dublin. Ship Eleanor, W. Graves, Barbados. Ship Severn, J. Hathorn, Bristol.

CLEARED. Sloop Peace and Plenty, J. Anthony, R. Island. Brig Charles-Town Packet, S. Wright, S. Carolina. Sloop Betsy, J. Logan, and Sloop N. Carolina Packet, A. Dyar, N. Carolina. Snow Venus, G. Atkinson, Maryland. Sloop Molly, E. Rogers, Boston. Sloop Patty, R. Basden, St. Kitts. Snow Ceres, N. Bodkin, Cadiz. Brig Calypso, J. Caton, Hispaniola. Schooner Lydia, J. Allen, Leghorn. Brig Sally, B. A. Allison, and Ship King George, M. Miller, Jamaica. Snow Neptune, T. E. Wallace, Madeira. Schooner Mary, J. Ross, New-Jersey. Sloop Hannah, A. Lawrence, Georgia. Ship King of Portugal, R. Bulkeley, Lisbon.

Philadelphia, November 13, 1771.

TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS Reward.

WAS stolen from *St. Paul's Church*, in this City, between *Sunday* the 10th, and the Evening of *Tuesday*, the 12th Instant, all the

HANGINGS of said CHURCH,

(being of rich Crimson Silk Velvet) for the Communion Table, Pulpit and Desks, with Cushions, trimmed with very rich Gold Fringe, about four Inches deep, and a Gold Lace, about one Inch broad, Tassels of Gold; the front Part of the Pulpit Cloth is embroidered with Gold, with the Letters I H S in a Circle, representing the Rays of the Sun. Whoever can give any Intelligence of the above, so that the GOODS may be restored, and the Thief or Thieves brought to Justice, shall have the above Reward, paid by EPHRAIM BONHAM, JOHN WOOD, *Wardens.*

N. B. The Person suspected of the above Sacrilege, is a tall slender Man, a little Pock-marked, wears his own brown Hair, and a green Cloth Coat, with Metal Buttons.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, on Friday, the 22d day of this instant November, at 6 o'clock in the evening, at the London Coffee-house, a certain piece or lot of ground, situate on the south side of Christian-street, in Passyunk township, containing in breadth 60 feet, and in length or depth 214 feet, having a frame building erected thereon; bounded by said Christian-street, and by lands of John Downes, Bartholomew Busher, and Christian Snyder; subject to a groundrent of 3 l. per ann. late the estate of Jacob Raybold; seized and taken in execution, by

JUDAH FOULKE, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, on Tuesday, the 26th of this instant November, at one o'clock in the afternoon (and to be struck off precisely at four) at the house of Matthew Lukens, at the Falls of Schuylkill, a certain tract of land, situate in the Northern Liberties of the city of Philadelphia, containing one acre and 103 perches, be the same more or less, bounded by Wissahickon road, and lands late of James Steel, deceased; having a snuff-mill, oil-mill, and other buildings erected thereon; late the estate of Nathaniel Tweedy, deceased; seized and taken in execution, by JUDAH FOULKE, Sheriff.

RICHARD JOBBSON, who came a Lad with his Father Joseph Jobbson, from Ireland to Pennsylvania, about 30 Years ago; if living, and will return, may meet with something considerable, by applying to his Relations in Cork, or to William Fennell, at Surebank, near Clonmell; and may also hear further thereof, at the Subscriber's, in Pikeland, Chester County, Pennsylvania, who would take it kind of any Person knowing the said Richard, to inform whether he is dead or living, and if he left any legal Issue.

¶ THOMAS LIGHTFOOT.

STRAYED *away from the subscriber, living at the Sign of the Golden Swan, in Third-street, between Arch-street and Cherry-alley, a bay HORSE, 4 years old last spring, 14 hands high, or thereabouts, with a large star in his forehead, which is the only white about him, and is shod all round, the off fore hoof has a hole in it; he carries his head rather low, paces natural, and has a hog mane. Whoever takes him up, and brings him to me, shall have TWENTY SHILLINGS reward.*

¶ *MARTIN KREUDER.*

TO BE SOLD,

A HEALTHY English Servant GIRL, who has 5 Years to serve. Enquire of JOSEPH BULLOCK, in Water-street.

STRAYED *from a Pasture at the upper End of Spruce-street, a very small COW, spotted dun and white, of a foreign Breed, and lately imported. Whoever brings her to Mr.* JACOB HILTZHEIMER, *in Seventh-street, shall have TWO DOLLARS Reward.*

TO BE SOLD, BY

JOHN PEMBERTON,

In HIGH-STREET, between FIFTH and SIXTH-STREET,

AMERICAN STEEL, good in Quality, neat Iron Kettles, Iron Chambers for Pumps, Cart, Waggon and Chaise Boxes, and Bake-plates. ¶

WANTED,

A PERSON that understands driving a POST-CHAISE, and is capable of taking proper Care of Horses, &c. Any such Person, who can be well recommended for his Honesty and Sobriety, may hear of a Place, by applying to the Printers of this Paper.

WANTED,

AN APPRENTICE to the MERCANTILE BUSINESS. One who writes a good Hand, and is thoroughly acquainted with Arithmetic, on Application to the Printers of this Paper, may know where to apply.

TO BE SOLD,

A STRONG likely Dutch Servant GIRL, can sew, knit, and spin; she is fit to do any Manner of Town or Country Work, has about 3 Years and 7 Months to serve. She is sold for no Fault, but Want of Employ. Enquire of the PRINTERS of this Paper. ¶

Just imported from London, and to be sold in SETTS, *by*

DAVID HALL,

At the NEW PRINTING-OFFICE, *in Market-street, Philadelphia;*

THE LADY's MAGAZINE, or ENTERTAINING COMPANION for the FAIR SEX, appropriated solely to their *Use* and *Amusement.*

ALSO,

The TOWN and COUNTRY MAGAZINE, or UNIVERSAL REPOSITORY of *Knowledge, Instruction* and *Entertainment*; likewise to be disposed of in Setts.

Of whom also may be had,

IMPERIAL, Royal, Medium, Demy, Large and Small Post, Pro Patria, Pott, and Red and Blue Marbled PAPER, by the Ream, or smaller Quantity. Also a great Variety of genteel PAPER HANGINGS. A Parcel of neat ETWEES for Ladies. A general Assortment of BOOKS; and STATIONARY of all Kinds.

WANTED this FALL,

A QUANTITY of Apple-Tree Butts, sawed at the Ends, 4 Feet 2 Inches long, for which will be given Forty-five Shillings per Cord, if brought in a Month or six Weeks after Date, and at the same Rate for a Half, Quarter, or Half-quarter of a Cord; likewise wanted two Cords of good thin white Bark Beech, it must not be split in less than Quarters, the Trees not less than 1 Foot at the Stump, for which will be given at the Rate of Forty Shillings per Cord, by

Philadelphia, Nov. 12, 1771. § JOSEPH WARNER.

For LIVERPOOL,

The Snow MOLLY,

JOHN BUTLER, MASTER,

Will sail about the 25th inst. having great part of her cargoe ready to go on board, has good accommodations for passengers. For freight or passage, apply to Benjamin Harbeson, *at his warehouse, in Market-street, or the master on board, at Mr. Abraham Bickley's wharff.*

Just imported in said Snow, and other vessels from Europe, and to be sold, by Benjamin Harbeson, *at his warehouse, Liverpool pipes of all sorts by the box, a general assortment of Liverpool earthen-ware, such as Queen's, enamelled, white, brown and red ware, by the crate, pig lead, grindstones, mens and boys felt hats, bellows for kitchen and parlour, an assortment of checks, bed ticks and bunts, Irish linen, a few crates of glass ware, 8 by 10 window glass, a large assortment of English and country made copper tea-kettles, warming-pans, sauce-pans, &c. a general assortment of copper, brass, tin and pewter wares, as usual, and an assortment of ironmongery, cross cut, whip and saw-mill saws, with many other articles, not here inserted. A few loads of Liverpool smiths coal, to be sold on board said Snow.* ¶ Philad. Nov. 7, 1771.

For BELFAST, and NEWRY,

The ship KITTY and PEGGY,

DUNCAN FERGUSON,

MASTER;

Will sail with the first flaxseed ships; she is a stout ship, and has excellent accommodations for passengers. For freight or passage, apply to GEORGE FULLERTON, JAMES BLAIR, or the Captain on board, at Massey's wharff.

N. B. Said *George Fullerton* has imported a large quantity of yard wide and 7-8ths Irish linens, and 9 8ths Irish sheetings, which he will sell extreamly cheap; also a few bags of cotton.

November 8, 1771.

WHEREAS the Agreement made the 16th Day of February, in the Year of our Lord, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty-seven, between Richard Stevens, and the Assignees of his Estate, hath not yet been complied with on their Part: These are therefore to give Notice to all his Creditors whom it may concern, that he intends to apply to the General Assembly of New-Jersey, for Relief in the Premises, at their next Meeting at Burlington, which commences the 20th Instant.

STRAYED away, from the subscriber, living in Germantown, the 4th of November inst. a large red and white spotted COW, with large horns, and about 9 or 10 rings on them. She is remarkable on account of her being hipshot. Any person giving notice to the subscriber, so that he may have her again, shall receive ONE DOLLAR reward, and reasonable charges, paid by JOHN COOK. ¶

RUN away, *on the 23d of July last, from the subscriber, living in Cumberland county, Letterkenny township, an indented servant man, named* MARTIN M'KINNEY, *but probably may change his name, he is a native of Ireland, and talks much with the brogue, about 25 years of age, 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high, slim built, tawny complexion, dark brown hair; had on, and took with him, an old grey sailor jacket, an old fur hat, pieced in the crown, 3 shirts, one about a 9, another about a 7, and the other about a 600 linen, two pair of coarse trowsers, one pair old, the other new, a pair of new shoes, with metal buckles, a pair of black yarn stockings, ribbed; he also took a sickle with him, marked* ION. *Whoever takes up said servant, and secures him in any goal, so that his master may get him again, shall have THREE POUNDS reward, paid by*

November 8, 1771. ROBERT M'CONNEL. ¶

ALL persons who are indebted to the estate of JACOB GRAVES, of Uwchland township, Chester county, late deceased, are desired to make speedy payment, otherwise they will be proceeded against according to law; and all those that have any demands against said estate, are desired to bring them in immediately, properly proved, that the accounts may be settled, by ISAAC LEWIS, Administrator.

To be SOLD, by

CARSAN, BARCLAY, and MITCHELL,

BEST *LONDON* PORTER, in BOTTLES and BARRELS. §

IN Purſuance of a late Act of GENERAL ASSEMBLY of this Province, intituled, "An Act for regulating, pitching, paving and cleanſing the Highways, Streets, Lanes and Alleys; and for regulating, making and amending the Water-Courſes, and Common-Sewers, within the inhabited and ſettled Parts of the City of PHILADELPHIA?" We the Subſcribers, COMMISSIONERS, by the ſaid Act authoriſed and appointed, with the Aſſent of the Mayor, Recorder and Aldermen of ſaid City, have limited, directed and appointed, That no Vault, Well or Sink, hereafter to be dug and made in the ſeveral built Parts of ſaid City, for Privies, or Neceſſary-Houſes, ſhall exceed the Depths undermentioned. And all Perſons whom it does or may concern, are deſired to take due Notice thereof, and govern themſelves accordingly, as it is in ſaid Law enacted, "That if any Perſon or Perſons ſhall dig, or cauſe to be dug, any ſuch Vault, Well or Sink, for Privies, or Neceſſary-Houſes, of any greater Depth than ſhall be limited and appointed by the Authority aforeſaid, every ſuch Perſon or Perſons ſo offending, and being thereof legally convicted, ſhall forfeit and pay the Sum of Twenty Pounds, and the Perſon or Perſons employed in digging the ſame, ſhall forfeit the Sum of Ten Pounds."

In Penn's-Street, on the Weſt Side,

From Cedar-Street to Pine-Street, from or below the Level of Penn's-Street, Ten Feet.

In Plumb-Street, on both Sides.

From the Level of the ſaid Street, Six Feet.

In King's-Street.

From Spruce-Street to Vine-Street, Six Feet.

In Front-Street, on the Eaſt Side.

From Pine to Vine, below the Level of King-Street, Six Feet.

In Front-Street, on the Weſt Side, Half-way Weſtward to Second-Street, from the Level of Front-Street.

From Vine-Street to Emlen's Alley, Eighteen Feet.
From Emlen's Alley to High-Street, Twenty Feet.
From High-Street to Walnut-Street, Eighteen Feet.
From Walnut-Street to the Drawbridge, Fourteen Feet.
From Spruce-Street to Union-Street, Twelve Feet.
From Union-Street to Pine-Street, Sixteen Feet.
From Pine-Street to Cedar-Street, Eighteen Feet.

In Second-Street, on the Eaſt Side, Half-way Eaſtward to Front-Street, from the Level of Second-Street.

From Cedar-Street to Pine-Street, Eighteen Feet.
From Pine-Street to Union-Street, Sixteen Feet.
From Union to an Alley between Brown and Fiſher, Twelve Feet.
From ſaid Alley to Walnut-Street, Fourteen Feet.
From Walnut-Street to Cheſtnut-Street, Sixteen Feet.
From Cheſtnut-Street to Vine-Street, Twenty Feet.

In Second-Street, on the Weſt Side, Half-way to Third-Street.

From the Level of Second-Street (excepting in the hollow or low Ground, between Second and Third Streets, and between Mulberry-Street and Church-Alley, in which they may be dug Sixteen Feet deep, to be meaſured from the Surface of the Earth there.)

From Vine-Street to Cheſtnut-Street, Twenty Feet.
From Cheſtnut to Union-Street, Fifteen Feet.
From Union to Cedar-Street, Eighteen Feet.

In Third-Street, on the Eaſt Side, Half-way to Second-Street, from the Level of Third-Street (excepting as before excepted.)

From Cedar-Street to Cheſtnut-Street, Fifteen Feet.
From Cheſtnut-Street to Vine-Street, Twenty Feet.

In Third-Street, on the Weſt Side, Half-way to Fourth-Street, from the Level of Third-Street.

From Vine-Street to High-Street, Twenty Feet.
From High-Street to Cheſtnut-Street, Eighteen Feet.
From Cheſtnut-Street to Cedar-Street, Fifteen Feet.

In Fourth-Street, on the Eaſt Side, Half-way to Third-Street, from the Level of Fourth-Street.

From Cedar-Street to Willing's Alley, Fifteen Feet.
From Willing's Alley to Cheſtnut-Street, Sixteen Feet.
From Cheſtnut-Street to High-Street, Fifteen Feet.
From High-Street to Mulberry-Street, Fourteen Feet.
From Mulberry-Street to Vine-Street, Twenty Feet.

In Fourth-Street, on the Weſt Side, Half-way to Fifth-Street, from the Level of Fourth-Street.

From Vine-Street to Mulberry-Street, Eighteen Feet.
From Mulberry-Street to High-Street, Fourteen Feet.
From High-Street to Cheſtnut-Street, Fifteen Feet.
From Cheſtnut-Street Southward, as far as Willing's Alley, Eighteen Feet.
From thence to Cedar-Street, Fifteen Feet.

In Fifth-Street, on the Eaſt Side, Half-way to Fourth-Street, from the Level of Fifth-Street.

From Cedar-Street to Walnut-Street, Fifteen Feet.
From Walnut-Street to High-Street, Eighteen Feet.
From High-Street to Saſſafras-Street, Sixteen Feet.
From Saſſafras-Street to Vine-Street, Twenty Feet.

On the Weſt Side of Fifth-Street, extending Half-way to Sixth-Street, from the Level of Fifth-Street.

From Vine-Street to Saſſafras-Street, Twenty Feet.
From Saſſafras-Street to High-Street, Sixteen Feet.
From High-Street to Walnut-Street, Eighteen Feet.
From Walnut-Street to Cedar-Street, Fifteen Feet.

In Sixth-Street, both Sides, extending Eaſtward Half-way to Fifth-Street, and Weſtward Half-way to Seventh-Street, from the Level of Sixth-Street.

From Vine-Street to Mulberry-Street, Eighteen Feet.
From Mulberry-Street to Cheſtnut-Street, Twenty Feet.
From Cheſtnut-Street to Cedar-Street, Eighteen Feet.

In Seventh-Street, both Sides, extending Eaſtward Halfway to Sixth-Street, and Weſtward Half-way to Eighth-Street, from the Level of Seventh-Street,

From Vine-Street to High-Street, Sixteen Feet.
From High-Street to Strangers Burying-Ground, 18 Feet.

In High-Street, from Half-way between Seventh and Eighth-Streets, Weſtward to Broad-Street, in Center Square.

From that Part of High-Street Northward, Half-way to Mulberry-Street, Twenty Feet.

And from High-Street Southward, Half-way to Cheſtnut-Street, Twenty Feet.

JOHN CHEVALIER, JOHN DRINKER,
WILLIAM WISHART, ABRAHAM BICKLEY,
JAMES STEVENS, DAVIS BASSET.

To the PUBLIC.

THE FLYING MACHINE, kept by *Charles Beſſonett*, at *Briſtol*, *John Mercereau*, at the *New Blazing-Star*, and *Abraham Skillman*, ſets out from Benjamin Davids's, every Monday and Thurſday, and meets Mercereau's Stage the ſame Day, exchanges Paſſengers, and returns every Tueſday and Friday, from the Firſt of November till the Firſt of May, and then to perform their Stages three Times a Week, as uſual. Thoſe Gentlemen and Ladies who pleaſe to favour us with their Cuſtom, may depend on the beſt Uſage, a good Carriage, and a ſober Driver. And great Care is taken of all Goods and Parcels ſent by them. CHARLES BESSONETT, JOHN MERCEREAU, ABRAHAM SKILLMAN. ¶

FOUND *in the incloſure of the ſubſcriber, in Tyrone township, York county, on the 14th of September laſt, a dark brown coloured* MARE, *about 13 hands and an half high, a natural trotter, her age not known; ſhe is branded on the near ſhoulder W, with a ſtar and blaze in her forehead; ſhe is ſhod before. The owner is deſired to come and prove his property, pay charges, and take her away.* VICTOR KING. ¶

To be SOLD, by public VENDUE, on the premiſes, on Second Day, the 16th day of December next,

A VALUABLE plantation and tract of 160 acres of good wheat land, ſituate in the townſhip of Eveſham, in the county of Burlington, Weſt-Jerſey, about 12 miles from Philadelphia, 7 miles from Burlington and Mount-holly, about 4 from an Engliſh church, and 2 miles from a Friends Meeting-houſe, in Mooreſtown, about a mile and an half to a griſt-mill, and navigable landing on Rancocus Creek: There is on ſaid plantation, a good one ſtory framed houſe, two rooms on a floor, a good cellar under the whole, a well of good water near the door, a young bearing orchard of good fruit, about 120 acres cleared, and within fence, the remainder good timber land. Alſo to be ſold at the ſame time, 21 acres of banked meadow, lying on ſaid Rancocus Creek, about a mile and an half from the plantation, which will be divided into three lots. The whole is part of the eſtate of James Borden, deceaſed. Any perſon inclining to view the premiſes before the day of ſale, may apply to John Cox, in Mooreſtown. The conditions will be made known at the time and place aforeſaid; where attendance will be given, by JOHN COX, *and* JOHN CLARK, *Executors.* ¶ 4 W.

FIVE POUNDS Reward.

STOLEN, on the night of the 23d of September, out of the paſture of the ſubſcriber, living in Worceſter townſhip, Philadelphia county, a bright bay ſtone HORSE, *5 years old, with a bald face, the white leaning to the off ſide, near hind foot white, between 14 and 15 hands high, both trots and paces, no brand.---- There was the ſame night ſtolen from John Bunner, Inn-keeper, a half-worn ſaddle and bridle, the houſings of green pluſh, ſuppoſed to be taken by the ſame perſon. Whoever takes up ſaid horſe and thief, and ſecures them, ſo that the owner may have his horſe, and the thief brought to juſtice, ſhall have the above reward, or Three Pounds for the horſe and ſaddle only, with reaſonable charges, paid by me* ARNOLD ZIMMERMAN. ¶

WAS STOLEN, on Friday night, the 18th of October, 1771, out of the paſture of David Alexander, living 4 miles below the Head of Elk river, a ſorrel horſe, about 15 hands high, has 4 white feet, and a large blaze on his face, has a good carriage, a droop rump, ſwitch tail, has a ſore ſpot between the hair and hoof of his off fore foot, about 9 years old. Whoever takes up and ſecures horſe and thief, ſo that the thief may be brought to juſtice, and the owner get his horſe, ſhall receive FIVE POUNDS *reward; but if the horſe alone, ſhall receive* THREE POUNDS *reward, paid by the ſubſcriber, living on Bohemia Manor, Cæcil county, Maryland.* JAMES BOYLES. ¶

RUN away, on the 17th of September laſt, from the ſubſcriber, living in Frederick county, Maryland, about 3 miles from Frederick-Town, an Iriſh ſervant lad, named THOMAS CORNER, *17 years old, about 5 feet high, black thick hair, dark complexion, hath much of the brogue; had on, when he went away, a new felt hat, two light coloured lincey jackets, one with ſleeves, and the other without, both lined with ſtriped ditto, a tow linen ſhirt, and trowſers, old ſhoes, tied with ſtrings, and is much given to lying and ſtealing. Whoever takes up the ſaid ſervant, and brings him to his maſter, ſhall have* FIVE POUNDS *reward, and all reaſonable charges, paid by* JACOB WINDRODE. ¶

Pileſgrove, Salem County, November 5, 1771.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on the ſecond Tueſday of this inſtant November, the Subſcribers Stage Waggon will ſet out from the Houſe of Jacob Paullin, in Pileſgrove, not far from the Glaſs-houſe, and drive from thence, through Wood's-Town, to William Cooper's Ferry, and return to the ſaid Jacob Paullin's the Thurſdays following, and ſo continue weekly to drive on the aforeſaid Days; Price for Paſſengers, or Lumber per Hundred Weight, carried the whole Diſtance, Three Shillings and Nine-pence each.---- Thoſe Gentlemen and Ladies who will pleaſe to favour us with their Cuſtom, may depend on good Uſage, and the utmoſt Care, from their humble Servants, WILLIAM SHUTE, *and* JACOB PAULLIN.

*** *Any Paſſengers from Philadelphia, or elſewhere, that are deſirous to go to the Glaſs-houſe, or any where in that Neighbourhood, the Subſcribers promiſe to convey them.* ¶

Juſt imported in the ſhip Britannia, Captain Falconer, and other veſſels lately from England, and to be ſold on the loweſt terms, by

SAMUEL PLEASANTS,

At his ſtore, in Water-ſtreet, the ſecond door above Cheſtnut-ſtreet, Philadelphia,

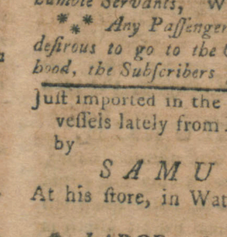
A LARGE and general aſſortment of MERCHANDIZE, amongſt which are a variety of coarſe and fine broadcloths; double milled drabs; kerſeys and plains; blue, green, red and cloth coloured halfthicks; blue, red and cloth coloured duffils; ſtriped blanketing; forreſt cloths; fine Bath coatings and frizes; white, green and cloth coloured baize; blue and grey fearnought; 7-8ths and 6-qr. naps and bearſkins; 7-8ths and 6-qr. ſpotted ſwanſkin; ſcarlet and red ſerges; red, ſcarlet and emboſſed flannels; ſuperfine white flannels; ſtriped linceys; 7-qr. 8-qr. and 9-qr. and 10-qr. roſe blankets; worſted and hair pluſh; Britiſh and German ozenbrigs and ticklenburgs; brown roll and heſſens; brown and white Ruſſia and Iriſh ſheetings; 7-8ths brown and white Iriſh and Dutch dowlas; Marſeilles bed quilts; Venetian corded poplins; maſqueraded ditto; ſtriped and plain camblets; hairbines; broad and narrow dorſetteens; double and ſingle worſted damaſk; ſhaloons and rattinets; durants and tammies; blue, green, pink, crimſon and brown calimancoes; black and cloth coloured velvets and velverets; black and blue everlaſtings; black and blue ſerge denim; ſcarlet and cloth coloured cloaks and cardinals; yard-wide, 5-qr. and 6-qr. muſlins and humhums; boys, youths, and mens felt hats; ſailors bound ditto; white and brown Ruſſia drilling; ravens duck; 3-qr. 7-8ths, and yard-wide Iriſh linens; 3-qr. 7-8ths, yard-wide, and yard 3-8ths linen and cotton checks; 3-qr. and 7-8ths Engliſh bed tick; 9-qr. and 10-qr. Flanders bed tick; wool, cotton and tow cards; F and FF gunpowder; ſhot; bar lead; frying pans; Engliſh ſteel, A. C. No. 3; 10d. 12d. and 20d. nails; pepper, &c. &c. &c.

Choice MADEIRA WINE,

Fit for immmediate Uſe, to be SOLD, by

GEORGE MEADE, and Company.

For BELFAST,



The Brigantine POLLY,
DAVID M'CUTCHON, Maſter,

SHE is a ſtout veſſel, and has excellent accommodations for paſſengers. Two thirds of her cargoe already engaged, and is expected to ſail about the 27th inſtant. For freight or paſſage, apply to JOSEPH CARSON, in Second-ſtreet, the 4th door from Market-ſtreet, and to GEORGE KENNEDY, in Front-ſtreet, or to the Captain on board, at SAMUEL MIFFLIN Eſquire's wharff. ¶

Will be ſet up at 150l. at public VENDUE, the 27th inſtant, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Widow Malaby's, in Front-ſtreet, on Society-hill, and ſtruck off to the higheſt bidder,

A PLANTATION, and tract of 500 acres of land, ſituate in Suſſex, on Delaware, within 3 miles of good navigation, where ſeveral ſchooners are conſtantly employed in carrying the produce of the country to Philadelphia market; 100 acres cleared, and the fences newly repaired; a good dwelling-houſe, good apple orchard, and a large peach orchard of fine fruit; 4 acres of meadow cleared, and 30 more may be made at ſmall expence; the upland kindly for wheat, corn, or rye. There are two other tenements on the land, with ſome improvements. Making pot-aſh might be carried on to profit, as it is thought 6 or 7000 buſhels of aſhes would be brought in yearly, by the country round about, to exchange for goods.

Alſo be ſold at private ſale, a ſmall lot of ground, in a thriving part of the city, with a frame dwelling-houſe thereon. Enquire of ISAAC LORT, in Strawberry-alley.

Baltimore, October 29, 1771.

To be SOLD, at public VENDUE,

On Wedneſday, the 10th of December next, on the premiſes,

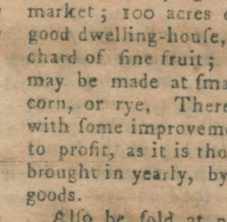
TWO hundred acres of land, more or leſs, being part of New-Munſter, in Cæcil county, Maryland, about 6 miles from the Head of Elk, and 8 from Chriſtiana Bridge, with a good dwelling-houſe, barn, and out-houſes, good orchard, meadows, &c.

One hundred and nine acres of land, more or leſs, called Alexander's lot, in the ſame county and province, and about one mile from the above land, with a good dwelling-houſe, out-houſes, and orchard; alſo an overſhot merchant mill, with two pair of mill ſtones, boulting-cloths, gears, cheſts, &c. Mr. Hugh Longwill, or William Alexander, on the premiſes, will ſhew them to any perſon applying.

Alſo to be ſold at private ſale, 120 acres, more or leſs, of woodland, ſituate in Baltimore county, near Perkin's ferry, on Suſquehanna.

Three houſes and lots, in Tawny Town, Frederick county. Mr. Jacob Good, of ſaid town, will ſhew the ſaid houſes.---- The title of the abovementioned lands and premiſes is indiſputable. MARK ALEXANDER. ¶

For BRISTOL,



The Ship CHALKLEY,
EDWARD SPAIN, Commander,

A Fine cedar built ſhip, well fitted with excellent accommodations for paſſengers, will ſail with all convenient ſpeed, having a conſiderable part of her lading ready to go on board. For freight or paſſage, apply to JAMES and DRINKER, or to the commander on board ſaid ſhip, at their wharff. Oct. 29.

The SHIP
BETSY,
SEYMOUR HOOD Maſter,

Is taking in for Briſtol. She is a good new veſſel, with neat accommodations for Paſſengers; chief part of her cargoe being ready to go on board, is intended to ſail about the 15th of November. For freight or Paſſage, apply to THOMAS CLIFFORD and SON, or the Maſter on board, at their wharff.

A great variety of merchandize, ſuitable to the ſeaſon, imported in ſaid ſhip, and other veſſels from London, Liverpool and Hull, and to be ſold, on reaſonable terms, by ſaid *Thomas Clifford and Son*, at their ſtore, in Water-ſtreet.

For CHARLES-TOWN (SOUTH-CAROLINA)

The Brig PRINCE of WALES,
WILLIAM MOORE, Maſter,

WILL ſail with all convenient ſpeed, having excellent accommodations for paſſengers, and great part of her cargoe ready to go on board. For freight or paſſage, apply to MASON and HARTLEY, or ſaid maſter on board, near Arch-ſtreet wharff. §

JUST imported, in the laſt veſſels from London, and to be ſold, by ſaid MASON & HARTLEY, at their ſtore, in Water-ſtreet, near the Old Ferry, a neat aſſortment of European and Eaſt-India GOODS, ſuitable for the ſeaſon, which they will ſell on the moſt reaſonable terms for caſh or ſhort credit.

FOR CORK,

The SHIP ESTHER,
ISAAC GUITTON, Maſter;

Will ſail with the firſt flaxſeed veſſels: For freight or paſſage, apply to JOHN and PETER CHEVALIER, at their ſtore, in Water-ſtreet, near the Old Ferry-houſe; where they have for ſale, juſt imported in the above ſhip, from Cork, a parcel of new roſe butter, of the beſt quality, and a few barrels of Iriſh beef.

For BELFAST and GLASGOW,

The Ship FRIENDSHIP,
WILLIAM M'CULLOCH, Maſter,

HAS great part of her cargoe engaged, and will ſail with all covenient ſpeed. She is a good ſhip, ſails faſt, and has excellent accommodations for paſſengers. For freight or paſſage, apply to *James Stuart*, in Second-ſtreet, or ſaid Maſter on board, at Mr. Samuel Mifflin's wharff.

N. B. Said JAMES STUART is now opening a freſh aſſortment of European and Eaſt-India GOODS, ſuitable for the ſeaſon, which he will ſell cheap for caſh or ſhort credit. Tbc.

For NEWRY, and LIVERPOOL,

The SHIP
CHARMING SALLY,
JAMES COOPER,
MASTER;

A FINE, well built cedar ſhip, and is the compleateſt ſhip now in the Iriſh trade, well fitted, and has excellent accommodations for paſſengers; will ſail with the firſt flaxſeed ſhips. For freight, or paſſage, apply to HUGH M'CULLOCH, or to the Maſter on board the ſaid ſhip, at Mr. Andrew Hodge's wharff, above Arch-ſtreet. §

For LONDONDERRY,

The Ship *ROSE*,
WILLIAM DYSART,
MASTER;

WILL ſail with the firſt veſſels with flaxſeed. For freight, or paſſage, agree with CARSAN, BARCLAY, and MITCHELL, or ſaid Maſter on board, the ſouth ſide of Stamper's wharff.

N. B. EDWARD FEAH is deſired to come and pay his redemption money to the ſaid Maſter, otherwiſe he will be taken further notice of. ¶ 5 W.

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The PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE.

Containing the Freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtic.

PHILADELPHIA.

The Merchants of this City being greatly pleaſed with the Appointment of the Honourable RICHARD PENN, *Eſq; to the Government of this Province, and determined to expreſs their Satisfaction in the moſt ſincere Manner, appointed a Committee, who waited on him on Friday laſt with their* ADDRESS.----*At the ſame Time it was ſo contrived that an Entertainment was provided at the State-Houſe, at which the principal Merchants of this City, with other Inhabitants of Diſtinction, and a Number of reſpectable Strangers, amounting to upwards of Three Hundred and Fifty in the whole, attended. His* HONOUR *the* GOVERNOR *accepted of, and anſwered, the Addreſs with his uſual Propriety and Politeneſs, honoured the Committee with his Company, and walked with them to the State-Houſe, where they joined the above-mentioned Gentlemen. The genteeleſt Entertainment was ſerved up, and a Number of loyal and patriotic Toaſts were drank.----Great Feſtivity, Mirth and Humour (heightened by the Elegance of the Entertainment, and the ſocial Virtues and Satisfaction that reached the Heart) rendered the whole, perhaps, as agreeable as any Thing of the Kind ever known in this Country. The Bells of the City were rung, and a Number of Cannon were diſcharged on the Occaſion.*

To the Honourable RICHARD PENN, *Eſq; Lieutenant-Governor, and Commander in Chief, of the Province of* Pennſylvania, *and Counties of* New-Caſtle, Kent *and* Suſſex, *on* Delaware.

SIR,

THE MERCHANTS of PHILADELPHIA beg leave to expreſs their ſatisfaction in your appointment to the government of this province, and to congratulate you on your ſafe arrival.

Senſible of the good effects derived to ſociety from a well regulated commerce; and of its extenſive and beneficial influence in this province, we cannot doubt, that under your government, the trade of *Philadelphia* will be favoured with every neceſſary encouragement.

Our knowledge of your private character, and the univerſal prepoſſeſſion of the inhabitants of *Pennſylvania* in favour of your meaſure you will be directed by the principles of juſtice and equity; and that your government will prove eaſy to yourſelf, agreeable and happy to the people under your care: And, with much ſincerity, we aſſure you, the Merchants of this city will neglect no means that can poſſibly contribute to that deſirable event.

The GOVERNOR's ANSWER.

GENTLEMEN,

THE ſatisfaction you expreſs upon my appointment to the government, and the congratulations you offer upon my ſafe arrival among you, cannot but afford me a very ſenſible pleaſure, as they give me reaſon to indulge myſelf in the agreeable expectations of living happily in a country, to which I am very ſincerely and warmly attached.

Thoſe prepoſſeſſions in my favour, which you have ſo kindly entertained, as they are highly flattering to me, ſo will they very naturally render me ſolicitous to merit and juſtify them.

I have ever conſidered the Merchants of this city, as the moſt reſpectable and independent claſs of people; and they may reſt aſſured that, whenever I may have the power, I ſhall not want the inclination to ſupport their particular intereſts.

I am already greatly indebted to their kindneſs and hoſpitality, and I heartily wiſh, that I may hereafter ſucceed in cultivating ſuch a ſocial intercourſe, as may ſecure me a continuance of their favourable ſentiments.

To the Honourable RICHARD PENN, *Eſq; Lieutenant-Governor, and Commander in Chief, of the Province of* Pennſylvania, *and Counties of* New-Caſtle, Kent *and* Suſſex, *on* Delaware.

May it pleaſe your HONOUR,

WE, the Baptiſt Miniſters in *Philadelphia*, for ourſelves, and the Congregation to which we belong, beg Leave to addreſs your Honour with our Gratulations on your being appointed our Governor, and on your ſafe Arrival to this City. We ſincerely wiſh you all Happineſs; and hope ever to demean ourſelves, ſo as not to become unworthy a Continuance of that Benevolence and Protection which have hitherto been extended to us (in common with other religious Societies) by your honourable Family.

Signed by Order,

MORGAN EDWARDS,
EBENEZER KINNERSLEY.

His HONOUR's ANSWER.

GENTLEMEN,

I AM very thankful to you for this obliging Addreſs on my ſafe Arrival and Appointment to the Government of this Province---The kind Wiſhes you expreſs for my Happineſs, demand my warmeſt Acknowledgments, and I have not the leaſt Doubt but that your Behaviour and Conduct will entitle you to the ſame Favour and Protection under my Adminiſtration, which you have hitherto enjoyed.

To the Honourable RICHARD PENN, *Eſq; Lieutenant-Governor, and Commander in Chief, of the Province of* Pennſylvania, *and Counties of* New-Caſtle, Kent *and* Suſſex, *on* Delaware.

May it pleaſe your HONOUR,

WE, the Miniſter, Truſtees, Elders and Deacons of the Incorporated German Reformed Church of *Germantown*, *Philadelphia* County, and Province of *Pennſylvania*, beg Leave to preſent this our humble Addreſs and ſincere Congratulations to your Honour on your ſafe Arrival in, and Appointment to the Government of, this Province.

Whereas we have lately been incorporated by your Predeceſſor and worthy Brother, and by that Means enabled to partake of thoſe ſpecial Rights and Privileges granted us by Charter, therefore we not only ſee ourſelves under the greateſt Obligations to be, but we likewiſe are, heartily affected for the Well-being of our rightful Sovereign, King GEORGE the Third, and deeply impreſſed with grateful Acknowledgments, and becoming Reverence, towards the Honourable the Proprietaries of this flouriſhing Province. And we rejoice, with the Reſt of our Chriſtian Brethren, that another worthy Deſcendant of PENN's Illuſtrious Family is appointed us for our Governor. We hope, as much as lies in our Power, ſo to act, that the Burthen of this Province may be eaſy and comfortable to you, and that we may enjoy your paternal Favour and Protection, as we did your well-beloved Predeceſſor's.

We conclude, Sir, with praying, that the God of all Grace would continue you long as a Bleſſing to his Church among us, and crown you with endleſs Felicity at laſt.

Signed by Order,

CHRISTIAN FRED. FOERING, Miniſter.

His HONOUR's ANSWER.

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN you a great many Thanks for your kind Congratulations upon my Arrival and Appointment to the Government of this Province. The Affection and Regard which you expreſs for our gracious Sovereign, is highly meritorious, and the honourable Mention you make of my Family, gives me great Satisfaction. I have no Doubt but your Conduct and Actions will verify your Profeſſions, and in doing every Thing in your Power to render my Adminiſtration eaſy and comfortable, you will juſtly entitle yourſelves to my Favour and Protection.

To be SOLD, by

EDWARD PENINGTON,

At his NEW STORE, in Saſſafras-ſtreet, between Fourth and Fifth-ſtreets,

DOUBLE, middling and ſingle refined LOAF SUGAR, lump and Muſcovado Ditto, MELASSES, &c. ¶

JAMES REYNOLDS, Carver and Gilder,

in Front-ſtreet, oppoſite the London Coffee-Houſe,

BEGS Leave to inform his Friends, that he has received per the Hand-in-Hand, Captain Berrien, from London; a freſh Aſſortment of exceeding neat Looking-Glaſſes, which he will diſpoſe of on the very loweſt Terms. 1 w.

FRANCIS HOPKINSON,

At his ſtore, in Front-ſtreet, between Market and Arch-ſtreets, hath for ſale,

A VERY large and elegant aſſortment of *ſuperfine*, *ſecond*, and *coarſe* BROADCLOTHS, conſiſting of a great variety of the moſt faſhionable colours; ſuperfine double-milled drabs; billiard cloths; new faſhioned ſpotted table carpets; beaver coatings, &c. alſo a variety of Engliſh and India ſilks; cambricks and lawns; calicoes and cottons; diaper and damaſk table cloths and napkening; clouting diaper; Iriſh linens; Ruſſia ſheetings; linen and cotton checks; ticking; bed bunts; ozenbrigs; brown rolls, &c. &c. &c. all which he will ſell upon the moſt reaſonable terms. *November* 19.

ALL Perſons having any Damands againſt the Eſtate of ALEXANDER BARCLAY, Eſq; deceaſed, are deſired to bring in their Accounts, properly proved, to the Subſcriber.----This is the laſt Notice that will be given.----And thoſe who have already delivered their Accounts, are requeſted to call for Payment. FRANCIS HOPKINSON, Adminiſtrator.

Juſt imported, and to be ſold, either wholeſale or retail, on the loweſt terms, for caſh, by

WILLIAM ADCOCK,

At the north-eaſt corner of Second and Market-ſtreets, nearly oppoſite the upper end of the Jerſey market,

SUPER, middling, and coarſe broadcloths; ſuperfine, middling, and coarſe Bath beavers; plains, bearſkins, ſerge naps; ſuperfine, ſcarlet, and white flannels; common red and white ditto; ſcarlet naps; ſpotted and plain ſwanſkin; halfthicks; German ſerges; rattinets and ſhaloons; black and drab coloured ſerge-denims; black and blue half ell laſtings; cotton velvets and velverets; cotton denims and royal ribs; thickſets, ſattinets, jeans, and fuſtians; flowered and plain Engliſh and India dimothies; durants and tammies; damaſks, calimancoes, ruſſels and yard wide poplins; ſattins, paduaſoys, taffeties, perſians, peelong, modes, changeable and plain mantuas; rich white flowered and watered tabbies; the beſt ſuperfine Flanders bed ticks; common ditto, tickings and bed bunts; ſuperfine 10-qr. roſe blankets, common ditto, Indian ditto; green, blue, and mottled rugs; ſcarlet, crimſon, green and blue furniture checks, of the neweſt patterns; ſilk, worſted, thread and cotton hoſiery; black, blue and white (Hoſe's) ſattin ſhoes; ſtriped and plain camblets and camblettees; calicoes, cottons and chints; checks and ſtripes; cambricks, long and clear lawns; blond and thread lace, fringe and gimps; fine grey muffs and tippets; black feather ditto; Ruſſia, Lancaſhire and Iriſh ſheetings; yard wide and 7-8ths Iriſh linens; ticklenburghs; Scotch and German ozenbrigs; white and brown heſſens; German and Iriſh dowlas; table cloths, clouting diapers, 8-qr. and 9-qr. damaſks, for table cloths; yellow canvas, yard wide and half yard wide white jeans, for linings; ſtitching, coloured and Scotch threads; ſilk faggathies and worſted ditto; Engliſh, India and Barcelona ſilk handkerchiefs, printed lawn ditto, of various ſorts; London made ſhoe and knee chapes, for ſilverſmiths; a great variety of plated and Pinchbeck buckles; plated ſpurs; japanned tea trays, to hold ſetts of china; and waiters, of various ſorts and ſizes; plate covers, of ditto; Barlow's beſt penknives and razors; ivory and horn combs; beſt ivory handle table knives and forks, with or without caſes; round ſtag, buck, ſham buck, and white bone ditto; a great variety of cutlery and hardware, of different ſorts; ſewing ſilks, ſcarf twiſt, coat bindings, quality bindings, and a great variety of buttons, of various ſorts, beſt London pound pins, common ditto; ferrets, ribbons; black, white and green beads, bugles, and a great number of articles, too tedious for an advertiſement.

N. B. Said ADCOCK has alſo imported in the laſt ſhip from London, Turkey, Perſian and Scotch CARPETS (ready made)---alſo a large aſſortment of Wilton carpeting, of the moſt faſhionable patterns;---bedſide and table carpets.

Juſt imported, and to be ſold, by

BENJAMIN RAWLE,

At his ſtore, in Water-ſtreet, next door above the Old Ferry-houſe, for caſh, or ſhort credit, on the moſt reaſonable terms,

BEAVER frizes, beaver coating, drab plains, ſpotted ſwanſkins, ſtriped duffils, blue coating, ſuperfine light coloured broadcloth, for womens cloaks, drab kerſeys, ſhaloons, mens and womens worſted hoſe and mitts, double worſted damaſks, cotton and linen checks, calimancoes, brown Ruſſia and white Iriſh ſheeting, Iriſh linens, ozenbrigs, brown roll, white and brown heſſens, cambricks and lawns, in pieces and patches, broad quality and ſhoe binding, black and cloth coloured ribbons, cloth coloured perſians, durants, ſewing ſilk, pins, needles, table knives and forks, Barlow's penknives, ſciſſars, combs, Scotch thread, tapes, &c. writing paper, paſteboards, mens and boys felt hats, powder and ſhot, &c. &c. ¶

TEN PISTOLES Reward.

Lancaſter County, at American Flint Glaſs Manufactory, November 6, 1771.

RUN away the firſt inſtant, from the ſubſcriber, an indented ſervant man, named FELIX FARRILL, about 23 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches high, fair complexion, brown hair, and has a remarkable ſcar on his face; had on a brown cloth coat, a ſtriped jacket (part ſilk) and is very talkative. Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid ſervant in any of his Majeſty's goals, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall have the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by

§ HENRY WILLIAM STIEGEL.

Philadelphia, November 16, 1771.

TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS Reward.

ON *Monday* Evening, the 11th Inſtant, *St. Paul's Church*, in this City, was robbed of all its HANGINGS (being of rich Crimſon Silk Velvet) for the Communion Table, Pulpit and Deſks, with Cuſhions, trimmed with very rich Gold Fringe, about four Inches deep, and a Gold Lace, about one Inch broad, Taſſels of Gold; the front Part of the Pulpit Cloth is embroidered with Gold, with the Letters H I † S in a Circle, repreſenting the Rays of the Sun. The above Sacrilege was committed by *William Davis*, alias *David Williams*, a Perſon about 5 Feet 9 or 10 Inches high, born in England, wears his own brown Hair, ſometimes with a falſe Tail, Pock-marked, limps a little in walking; his Clothes were, a ſhort green Coat, with Metal Buttons, a Calicoe Jacket, and green Breeches, but may ſince have been changed. The above *William Davis* robbed the Church in *Wilmington* of its Hangings (out of which his green Coat is made) and a Reward of TEN POUNDS is offered by the Congregation of ſaid Church for apprehending him. Whoever apprehends the ſaid *William Davis*, who was ſeen Yeſterday in this City, ſo that he may be brought to Juſtice, and the Goods reſtored, ſhall have the above Reward, paid by

EPHRAIM BONHAM,
JOHN WOOD, } *Wardens.*

N. B. A Warrant is obtained from the Honourable WILLIAM ALLEN, Eſq; Chief Juſtice of the Province of *Pennſylvania*, requiring all Sheriffs and Conſtables in the ſaid Province, to uſe their utmoſt Endeavours for apprehending the ſaid *William Davis*.

RACHEL M'CULLOCH,

At the north ſide of Market-ſtreet, the 7th door above Second-ſtreet, intending to decline buſineſs, will ſell her

SHOP GOODS off, at firſt coſt, conſiſting of a variety of ARTICLES, too tedious to mention.

To be LETT, the houſe ſhe now lives him, ſuitable for any kind of buſineſs, with the conveniency of large cellar room under the whole. ¶

For CHARLES-TOWN (SOUTH-CAROLINA)

The BRIGANTINE FRIENDSHIP,

JOSEPH BLEWER, Maſter;

Being conveniently and purpoſely provided with genteel Accommodations for Paſſengers, will certainly ſail the firſt Day of December, having three Fourths of her Cargoe engaged. For Freight or Paſſage, apply to ſaid Maſter, at his Houſe in Southwark, or on board, at Mr. Joſeph Sims's Wharff, or to DANIEL ROBINSON, at his Store on ſaid Wharff, who has for Sale Carolina Soal Leather. ¶

TO BE SOLD,

THE Time of an Apprentice, who has upwards of four Years to ſerve, by Trade a SHOEMAKER, and uſed to Stuff-work, at which he can do more than his Taſk.---Enquire of the PRINTERS. §

CAME to the houſe of JOHN DONALDSON, the 28th of Auguſt laſt, in Warrington townſhip, York county, a bright bay two year old MARE COLT, a ſtar in her forehead, branded B, on the near ſhoulder. The owner is deſired to come and prove his property, pay charges, and take her away. JOHN DONALDSON. †

THREE POUNDS Reward.

STOLEN *from the ſubſcriber, in Plainfield, Northampton county, on the 20th of Auguſt laſt, a dark bay* HORSE, *between* 14 *and* 15 *hands high,* 8 *years old, ſhod then all round, marked on the near buttock N, though not very viſible, lays his ears back, and is croſs when fed, has a ſmall ſtar, and ſome white in his hind fetlock, occaſioned by a rope (if the marks are not ſince altered.) Whoever brings ſaid horſe to the owner, ſhall have the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by me*

§ *WILLIAM EDMONDS.*

Lancaſter, November 5, 1771.

WAS left at the ſtable of GODFRID CLINE, in King-ſtreet, at the Sign of the Unicorn, a cheſnut bay HORSE, *ſhort behind and before, has a bob tail, and a ſtar in his forehead, a natural pacer, about* 5 *years old, and about* 14 *hands high. The owner is deſired to come and prove his property, pay all charges, and take him away, otherwiſe he will be ſold for the charges, by me*

§ GODFRID CLINE.

WHEREAS the ſubſcriber has been conſiderably encouraged by the public, in purchaſing his GARDEN SEEDS for ſome years paſt, and that with their general approbation (for which he returns his ſincere thanks) he is farther induced to inform them, as alſo any captains of veſſels, or others, who may have occaſion to buy Garden Seeds, either for the Weſt-Indies, or any of the diſtant provinces, that he has at preſent by him as general an aſſortment of Garden Seeds, to ſuit either of the aforeſaid climates, as will be found ſatisfactory to enquirers, and can be ſupplied or treated with, on market days, at the covered ſtall, the north ſide, and upper end of the Jerſey market, or on other days, by applying to CALEB HEWES, Hatter, at the Beaver and Fiſh, in Market-ſtreet.

¶ RICHARD COLLINS, Gardiner.

Salem, November 10, 1771.

THIS is to give Notice, that ſeveral of the Owners and Poſſeſſors of Marſh and Meadow, lying within the Town Bank of Salem, intend to make Application to the next General Aſſembly of the Province of New-Jerſey, for an Act to impower the Managers of the ſaid Town Bank to cleanſe the Creek, called Cow-Neck-Creek, from the Sluice up to the Forks of the ſaid Creek, and from thence up the ſaid Forks, as far as they ſhall judge neceſſary to be done, and to impower the ſaid Managers to raiſe Money for the ſame. §

Whiteland, Cheſter county, November 12, 1771.

STRAYED away from the ſubſcriber, about the firſt of this inſtant, a three years old BULL STAG, of a darkiſh brindle colour, and has the points of his horns ſawed off; he has been yoked, and perhaps may ſhew ſome marks of it. It is ſuppoſed he may have mixed with a drove paſſing by, and is gone down towards Darby. Any perſon giving information, ſo that the owner may get him again, ſhall have FIFTEEN SHILLINGS reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by

† RICHARD THOMAS.

[*For more new* ADVERTISEMENTS *ſee the fourth Page.*]

PETERSBURGH, August 16.

By several letters from our army under Prince Dolgorucki, we learn, that our fleet from Azoph is in the harbour of Caffa, which has struck terror into the inhabitants of Constantinople.

Arta, in Lower Albany, July 31. *They write from Negropont, that the peasants of the neighbouring countries have quitted their habitations, to take shelter in the heart of the island. Athens has been sacked, and the natives of Albany, in their different incursions, have laid waste above a hundred leagues of ground.*

Reading (England) Sept. 14. *Britain, who has lately engaged the public attention, by acknowledging himself to be one of the incendiaries employed to burn Portsmouth dock-yard, still persists in his former declaration, and seems greatly disappointed, that no order has yet been received for his removal to London; he denies having the least knowledge of Dudley, and is quite silent relative to the particulars of the fire; though he sometimes appears fond of giving a detail of the various scenes of villainy in which he has been engaged; among others, he mentions having received a sum of money in June 1770 (in conjunction with four more) to shoot a great Person in Hyde-park, which he says would actually have been effected, had not his pistol missed fire.*

LONDON.

Sept. 5. *Among the many instances of female frailty, which furnish the conversation of the day, we are happy in relating a recent instance of female virtue. A gentleman, who has made no small figure in the beau monde, was some time since married to a most agreeable woman; soon after his marriage he lived in the most expensive manner, and lavished vast sums at Newmarket. He had not been long married before he grew neglectful of his lady, frequently left gentlemen at home for her to entertain, and obliged her to accompany them to public places: The consequence was, several of them used such freedoms with her, as were by no means consistent with either her delicacy or virtue. She, however, concealed the affronts she received, lest it should endanger the life of her husband, till a certain nobleman, who is a married man, made her such proposals as shocked her, at the same time informing her they were with her husband's approbation. She flew to her husband, who told her she would be wise to comply with his lordship's offer, as thereby she would procure a fine settlement to herself, and a good appointment for him; as he was sorry to inform her, he was not worth one guinea, and expected an execution in the house every moment. On receiving this infamous advice, she turned from him with indignation, and returned to his lordship, who told her he had already made her husband a present of 300 l. and had gone too far to recede. She then told his lordship, that since it was her husband's desire, she begged his lordship to get the settlement made out, and bring it to her, in order that she might consult her attorney. His lordship in raptures obeyed her commands; but no sooner had she the parchments in her possession, than she went to his lordship's family, and delivered them up. They were charmed with her virtue, and with the revenge she had taken of two perfidious men, and voluntarily among them made a settlement of 200 l. per annum for life, on which she now subsists in Italy.*

Sept. 9. A correspondent observes, that the late fire at Portsmouth, was a more infernal scheme than the Popish plot, and worse in its consequences; the greatest loss that could have ensued in the latter, would have been only blowing up both Houses of Parliament, which could soon have been repaired (at least if they were not better than the present) without much loss; but the destruction of the British navy might have been fatal to the whole nation.

From the extent of our American possessions, it is thought that all kinds of wine and silks, which are now purchased from France, Italy, and the East-Indies, might be bought of our fellow subjects.

Sept. 10. *Letters from Brest say, that some hundreds of the English ship-builders, who were employed in the King's Yard there, are ordered to Toulon, to expedite the fitting out of some men of war, said to be destined for the French settlements in North-America.*

It appears, from the navy registers kept in every sea port town in France, that 40,000 seamen are enrolled in the French King's service.

There are no less than twenty-five causes now depending in Doctors Commons, for adultery, and criminal conversation, in order to obtain divorces, and most of them between the great people at the west end of the town. There have not been so many causes of that kind brought into the ecclesiastical court for fifty years before.

Extract of a Letter from Chester, Sept. 7.

"The following is an account of John Chapman, who was executed here for picking the pocket of Matthew Hewitt, of this county.---At the hour appointed he was conducted to the place of execution by the usual attendants on such occasions, and a greater number of constables than usually attended executions here, as there was some suspicion of a rescue, by the vast concourse of sailors (he being one of that profession) that accompanied him.---On his setting out, a book was put in his hand, for decency's sake, by the hangman, which he no sooner received than he threw it among his brother ship-mates, as he termed them, and they immediately tore it in pieces; a Clergyman then got into the cart, and exhorted him to behave with more decency, and to think of his sudden change; but instead of attending to his admonition, he got up in the cart, and (being pinioned) drove his head in the Clergyman's belly, and tumbled him out of the cart; after this he flung himself out, and attempted to run into the midst of the sailors, but was prevented by the irons with which he was loaded; he was then seized, and tied by ropes in the cart, and in that manner was carried to the fatal tree; at his arrival there he refused either to hear prayers, or pray himself, therefore two men, together with the hangman, attempted to lift him up, to fix the rope about his neck, in the doing of which, he by some means got the hangman's thumb in his mouth, which he almost separated from the hand, before he would loose his hold; he was at last tied up, but with great difficulty; and it was remarked that he died very hard.----He was a handsome young man, and seemed to be about twenty-three years of age, but refused telling any thing of his past life and villainies.

A Correspondent says, that the paragraph in our paper concerning a painter's bill, brings to his remembrance a story of a similar nature; a Church-warden in his parish having been at some considerable trouble to remove a woman, who was with child, out of his parochial territories, innocently made a charge of it in his bill to the vestry, in the following words. To getting a woman with child out of the parish, 2s. 6d.

A person present asked him what he would charge for getting a woman with child, in the parish?

Sept. 11. They write from Brest, that dispatches had been just sent to the Governors of the French West-India Islands, containing some fresh instructions concerning the regulation of trade between the subjects of France and Great-Britain.

The various reports relative to Lord Chesterfield's attending several late councils, are wholly without foundation; his Lordship will never interfere in public business again, and instead of thinking this kingdom in an alarming situation, has repeatedly declared, he never knew it so secure against the machinations of domestic foes, or the attacks of foreign enemies.

It is asserted, that none of the great leaders in opposition (not even Lord C-----n) have visited or conferred with Lord C-----m for near six weeks past; the cause of this seeming coolness has not yet transpired.

In St. Anne's, Soho, is a married Couple, who have four Children, and the Ages of the whole Family put together, amount to 45 years.

All the letters to and from Portsmouth, are carefully inspected before delivery.

Sept. 14. At the Royal levee, a few mornings since, a warm dispute passed between two great noblemen, on the subject of the fire at Portsmouth, and they have been both reprimanded by a Great Personage for the same.

There is not a man conversant with naval affairs, but is certain that Portsmouth was burnt by design.

There are many long faces in the kingdom, on account of the enquiry about the late fire at Portsmouth, and many high characters have absconded.

The Courts of France and Spain, being conscious they merit a chastisement for the above flagrant deed, are determined to throw the first stone; for which purpose every equipment is making.

Sept. 17. *It is now said the Parliament will meet for the dispatch of Business some time in November.*

Last week Sir Robert Bernard and Col. Barre arrived in town from their travels; they have made the tour of Spain, Italy, and Portugal, where it is said they have picked up some material intelligence.

Two Algerine Xebeques have taken a Danish frigate of 20 guns in the Mediterranean, after an engagement of one hour, and have carried her into Algiers. The Captain and some of the crew escaped in their long boat, whilst the Barbarians were boarding their frigate. They were soon after taken up by an English frigate, which went in pursuit of the Xebeques, but without being able to come up with them; the account says the Mediterranean swarms with these pirates.

There is a current report that the merchants of London will espouse the cause of Messieurs Aldermen Peers and Nash at the ensuing election for Lord Mayor; if so, it is thought their connections in trade will carry the election.

A letter from a gentleman at Dunkirk, to his friend in town, mentions, that an embarkation of troops was carrying on with great expedition at that place, and at the different sea ports in France.

Saturday advice was received by express from Paris, to a merchant of this city, that an account was brought there of the sailing of two fleets, one from Brest, and the other from Toulon; that they had taken on board provisions for six months, but to what part they were bound was kept a profound secret. It further says, that councils are daily held, and that Count de Guignes is present at all of them.

Arrived the John, White, from Boston.

Gravesend, Sept. 15. *Passed by the Paoli, Cazneau, from Boston.*

By Captain FORTIN, *arrived here from Bristol, we have the following further Particulars, viz.*

TURIN, August 28.

WE have had the hottest summer here that has been felt for many years; and the want of rain for above two months, has entirely destroyed the latter harvest. A distemper broke out some time since amongst the horned cattle in Savoy, but is now entirely stopped. The wheat harvest in general has been very bad all over Italy, and in Sicily it has almost entirely failed.

Cologne, Sept. 6. The Court of Vienna, far from discontinuing their warlike preparations, seem to be augmenting them, as they are now raising 3000 recruits, and have lately given orders for 40,000 sword-blades, &c. from Sholingen.

Paris, Sept. 6. Letters from Brest advise, that they have received orders to arm six frigates, which are to be commanded by M. de Courcy.

LONDON.

Sept. 14. The reason why Dudley was referred for examination to the Lord Mayor on the affair of Portsmouth fire was, to prevent the popular party from throwing any reflections on the Ministry, by saying, that capital information was suppressed: "Let our enemies (said Lord Sandwich) have the management of the evidence, and the people must believe us innocent, if, under their own favourites, no accusation is urged against our characters."

The Charming Molly, Wells, arrived from Minorca, brings advice, that all the places of strength and fortifications in that island, have had such a thorough repair, as to render them almost impregnable.

The same vessel also assures us, that the Spaniards are fortifying both the islands of Ivica and Majorca; at which last place they have lately built a number of barracks, for receiving a large body of forces from Old Spain, which are to be garrisoned there.

"God forbid (said an old Gentleman who represents a county, and is strongly in opposition) that we should have any change in the Ministry." "You amaze me, Sir (answered the person to whom he uttered the exclamation at a coffee-house) are not you an enemy to the Administration?" "Yes (returned the other) but all their dependents are provided for, and a new sett would only eat us over again with a fresh sett of hungry cormorants."

Sept. 17. The Spanish Ambassador has lately paid several visits to Lord S-----k, in a very private manner, which occasions much speculation amongst the politicians at the West end of the town.

On Saturday her Majesty sent a present of a curious collection of Indian birds to the Princess de Masserano, the Spanish Ambassador's lady, for whom a complimentary letter was sent as an acknowlegment of the donation.

Lord Chatham, speaking of the struggle likely to be in the city for the office of Lord Mayor, declared, that Mr. Wilkes acted very imprudently to make his designs so public: "He is so eager (said this great man) to engross all the employments to his own circle, that his true motives cannot remain long concealed; and the moment the Livery discover that he is only labouring to make himself their master, they will see their independency as much in danger from him, as it is from an abandoned Administration."

Advice is received at Venice, that the Ottoman fleet, consisting of 56 sail, ventured to come out of the Dardanelles, whilst the Admiral Arff was cruizing in the Streights of Tenedos, and were attacked and pursued into the Port of Modron, where they were burnt or destroyed. This engagement was on the 5th of July.

The Russian fleet in the Levant is divided into four squadrons; one, under the command of Mr. Greigh, cruizes near Smyrna and Scio; Admiral Spiritoff commands the second, near Micone and Paros; the third cruizes between Cape St. Ange and Cerigo, under the command of Admiral Arff; and the fourth is between Tenedos and Meteline, commanded by M. Brettenzow.

Four Spanish xebecks are arrived at Malaga, and have brought in with them an Algerine cruizer of 18 guns, and 200 men; another Algerine was in company, but got off in a shattered condition.

Large betts are depending at the West End of the town, and policies are opened in the city, that no true discovery will be made of the party concerned in the late fire at Portsmouth Dock, within the space of twelve months to come.

Extract of a letter from Paris, Sept. 10.

"Choiseul's party is getting down every day, nor is there now the least prospect of that Minister's ever coming into play again. Politics here seem to have taken pretty much the same turn as with you; public opinion, and public wishes, declared for a change in Ministry, yet the Duke d' Aiguillon not only keeps his place in the King's affections, but is constantly gaining over some of the nobility to his side. Madam Barre, however, does not make her public appearance at Court yet. Something is expected from the hold she has of the King's heart; but the most judicious are of opinion, it will avail little.

On the 17th ult. a Danish frigate of war took and carried into Mahon harbour, a French Schooner, freighted by an Algerine, on board of which they took 20,000 dollars, and has also a very rich loading of silks, &c.

Bristol, Sept. 19. *Came in since our last, The Prince George, Sampson, from Virginia.* Entered Out, *The Elletson, Lawrence, for Philadelphia.*

KINGSTON (Jamaica) September 14.

On Sunday last, a small sloop arrived from Carthagena, by whom we have the melancholy news of the loss of the sloop Charming Sally, Captain Scott, from this island, on that coast, and the cruel murder of the Captain and his whole crew, except two Coracoa Mulattoe men, supposed to be committed by a Mulattoe, trading on the Spanish coast, a native of this island, who being tempted by the success Captain Scott had met on this voyage, and his having on board a considerable sum of money, killed the Captain himself, and with the assistance of the people he had with him, destroyed the crew: On their accomplishing so far of their horrid design, they took the money out of the vessel, cut her adrift, and let her drive against the rocks, by which means she was soon destroyed.

CHARLES-TOWN (South-Carolina) October 21.

Capt. Hensley, in the Brigantine Little John, who arrived here Yesterday from Boston, brought in with him Thomas Townsend Master, the Mate, and one Mariner, late of the Schooner Seaflower, of and from Virginia for Antigua, which, on the 8th of last Month, in Lat. 29, Long. 74, met, with a very hard Gale of Wind that obliged them to cut away their Main-mast, and carried away their Jibb, Boat, and all the Lumber from off the Deck. On the 20th, in Lat. 25, Long. 70: 30, they met with another hard Gale from E. N. E. to S. before which they scudded from 6 o'Clock in the Morning till 12 at Night, when they shipped a Sea which carried away several of the Top-timbers by the Wale, and filled the Schooner immediately; upon which they hove to, with the broken Side to windward, and about 11 o'Clock in the Morning of the 21st the Vessel went to Pieces. The People, five in Number, stuck to the Main-deck, which soon parted in several Pieces, by which two of the Mariners were drowned; the rest kept to a small Piece of the Deck till next Evening at 5 o'Clock, when they were taken up by a French West-India Man, bound to Bourdeaux, and on the 5th Instant were put on board Captain Hensley's Vessel, which in Lat. 37: 57, Long. 66: 35, had both her Masts carried away, in a violent Gale of Wind, Sept. 24th.

October 31. The Trial of Dr. John Haly came on at the Sessions, who was arraigned for Murder, for the Death of Peter De Lancey, Esq; in a Duel. This Trial began at Eight o'Clock on Saturday Morning, before the most crowded Audience that ever was assembled there upon any Occasion, and was not over till after Seven in the Evening, when the Jury, after having been out only a few Minutes, convinced (we may presume) that there was not the least Degree of Malice on his Part, brought in their Verdict, guilty of *Manslaughter*.

WILLIAMSBURG, *November* 7.

On Tuesday last died, in the 83d Year of his Age, the Honourable JOHN BLAIR, Esq; a Gentleman who, in the Course of his long Life, discharged the Offices of Representative, Auditor, Judge, Privy Counsellor, and President of the Colony, with unblemished Integrity. The Virtues of his private Character have been but rarely equalled, and perhaps, never yet excelled.

BOSTON, *November* 7.

We are informed that the ensuing Thanksgiving affords matter of more serious thought, and general conversation, than any thing of the kind that has yet happened in New-England. Is it not amazing indeed, that the Governor should recommend it to the ministers and their congregations, to return thanks to Almighty God, that he has been pleased to continue to them their civil and religious privileges? It is said some of the clergy have already come to a resolution to leave out that extraordinary clause, as they cannot in conscience carry on such a solemn mockery before their people; and many gentlemen of character have declared, that in case their ministers should read it as it stands in the proclamation, they will immediately depart the meeting.

We can assure the public, that a number of the members of one of the Worshipping Assemblies in this town, waited upon their Reverend Pastor yesterday, and expressed in the strongest terms their disapprobation of the following clauses in the Proclamation for a Thanksgiving, viz. That it hath pleased God "to continue to them their civil and religious privileges," and "to enlarge and increase their commerce," and that their minister expressed his hearty concurrence with them in sentiment, and declared that he should omit the reading the Proclamation.

A second reverend clergyman has declared, that it is against his conscience to offer up such an insult to the Deity, and shall therefore read no part of the proclamation.

NEWPORT (Rhode-Island) November 11.

Notice is given in the London Papers of the 31st of August, That a fifth and final Distribution of Prize Money to the Officers and Soldiers who were at the Surrender of the Havannah the 12th of August, 1762, will begin on the 28th of October: Those belonging to Major Gorham's Corps, the Connecticut, Rhode-Island, New-Jersey, New-York, &c. on the 28th of November: The shares not then demanded, will be ready to be paid on the first Thursday in every Month for three Years to come, by Jonathan Garton, in Great Russell Street, Bloomsbury.

NEW-YORK, *November* 18.

The General Assembly of Connecticut, in their last Session, which ended the first Instant, among other Business, have passed an Act for the following Purpose, viz.

An *Act*, laying a Duty upon all Goods, in proportion to the Quantity, purchased in any of the neighbouring Colonies. *This Duty is not very high, and is to be rated from the genuine Invoices, which the Owners of the Goods are obliged to produce, or be subject to the Fine of 1000 l. for every Failure.*

The Packet that sailed from hence the 8th of August last, is arrived in England.

PHILADELPHIA, November 21.

On Tuesday, the 5th Instant, at the Seat of Mark Bird, Esq; in Berks County, JAMES WILSON, Esq; of Carlisle, was married to Miss RACHEL BIRD, a very agreeable young Lady, with a genteel Fortune.

Lately died in Burlington County, Mr. JOHN SYKES, a Man of general good Character, remarkable for having lived 66 Years with one Wife.

Wednesday the 13th Instant, sailed for London, the Ship Britannia, Captain Falconer, with whom went Passenger Mr. WILLIAM YOUNG, junior, of Pennsylvania, Botanist to their Majesties the KING and QUEEN of Great-Britain. We hear he has made a fresh Collection of curious Plants, and other natural Productions of America, to present to their Majesties.

Sunday Night Part of the Velvet, taken from St. Paul's Church, was found in a Barn, in the Meadows near Gloucester Point, and the next Day, on further Search, the Remainder was discovered in the same Place, stripped of the Lace, which was also found on Tuesday, in a Chair-house, in the Irish Tract; so that the whole is now recovered, except one Gold Tassel, but the Robber is not yet taken.

Captain Berrien, from London, on the 24th of September, in Lat. 40: 19, Long. 16: 30, spoke a Snow, Captain Roberts, from South-Carolina for Seville, 7 Weeks out; on the 27th ult. in Lat. 27: 26, Long. 62: 23, spoke a Sloop from Boston for Barbados, out 15 Days; and on the 5th Instant, in Lat. 34, Long. 70: 42, he spoke a Ship from Jamaica for Liverpool, all well.

Captain Alexander, from Havre de Grace, on the 25th of last Month, in Lat. 34: 45, Long. 55: 37, spoke with Captain Wells, in a Brig from Boston for Antigua, 10 Days out; 30th, in Lat. 34: 49, Long. 65: 31, spoke a Brig from New-London, out 8 Days; on the 9th Instant, in Lat. 37: 32, Long. 71: 16, spoke the Ship Peggy, Captain Campbell, from Glasgow for Virginia, out 7 Weeks; and on the 11th, in Lat. 38: 12, Long. 72, spoke a Brig, Captain Sawyer, from the Bay of Honduras for New-York, all well.

Captain Green, from Havre de Grace, on the 6th Instant, in Lat. 37: 31, Long. 69: 30, spoke the Ship Minerva, Captain Cain, from Philadelphia for Liverpool, two Days out; 8th, in Lat. 37: 23, spoke the Brig Prince George, Captain Harrison, belonging to Whitehaven, bound to London from Virginia; and on the 11th, in Lat. 38: 18, just on Soundings, he spoke the Ship Charming Molly, Captain Gill, from this Port for Jamaica.

Captain Blewer, from South-Carolina, on the 13th Instant, off Cape-Hatteras, spoke a Ship, Captain Matthews, from Rhode-Island for Cape-Fear, out 15 Days; and on the 15th, in Lat. 37, he spoke a Sloop from Surrinam for Rhode-Island, out 7 Weeks, all well, but did not learn the Master's Name.

Captain Wilson, from Liverpool, on the 6th of September, in Lat. 46: 38, Long. 12, spoke the Ship Susanna, Captain Tobins, from Virginia for London, out 38 Days; on the 4th of October, in Lat. 34, Long. 42: 10, spoke the Ship Real Friend, Captain Campbell, from Liverpool (last from Kinsale) for New-York; 17th, in Lat. 37: 49, Long. 63: 14, spoke the Brig George, Captain Wilson, from this Port for Cadiz, out 4 Days; and on the 29th, in Lat. 38: 23, Long. 67: 40, he spoke a Schooner from New-London for Cadiz, two Days out, all well.

The Ship St. Andrew, Captain Posglove, from the Bay of Honduras for this Place, was lost on the Northern Triangles, the 14th of last Month; the Captain and Crew saved.

Captain Rickets, arrived at New-York from Newcastle, on the 15th of October, in Lat. 24: 20, Long. 42, spoke with Captain M'Ilvaine, in a Sloop from Teneriffe for Philadelphia.

Captain Russell, from Newry, arrived at New-York, on the 21st ult. in Lat. 38: 59, Long. 59, spoke the Ship Ostend, Captain John Ewing, from Virginia for Glasgow.

The Ship Glasgow, Captain Smith, from Glasgow for Virginia, was spoke with on the 13th of October, in Lat. 36: 21, by Captain Semple, arrived at New-York.

Captain Woods, arrived at New-York from Jamaica, on the 19th of last Month, off the East End of Jamaica, spoke with the Captains French, and Shields, both from this Place for that Island.

Captain Fulgham, arrived at Barbados, from Virginia, on his Passage, in Lat. 31: 10, Long. 66, took up two Barrels of Flour, marked P. R. No. 18, and 64; also a Vessel's Pump.

Arrived at Barbados. Captains Steel, Fearns, Smith, and Barnes, from Philadelphia; Carlton, Brett, and Power, from Virginia; Thompson, from Maryland; and Captains Jones, and Vennard, from Piscataqua.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, *Philadelphia*, INWARD ENTRIES.

Brig Two Brothers, R. M'Cann, from Jamaica. Sloop Potowmack, G. Rowe, Maryland. Brig Hawke, C. Huſſey, Nantucket. Sloop Three Friends, J. Leathers, and Schooner Young Thomas, S. Bell, Piſcataqua. Schooner Poly, T. Woodberry, Salem, N. E. Ship Minerva, T. Rankin, Virginia. Sloop Dove, C. Freeman, Boſton. Sloop Betſy, J. Forſter, Georgia. Brig Friendſhip, J. Blewer, S. Carolina. Sloop Hope, N. Hyman, N. Carolina. Brig Hand-in-Hand, P. Berrien, London. Brig Molly, J. Wilſon, Liverpool. Ship Britannia, J. Brown, and Ship Hercules, L. Albro, Honduras. Ship Commerce, C. Alexander, and Ship Neſbitt, J. Green, Havre-de-Grace. Brig Molly, G. Caton, St. Kitts. Sloop Adventure, E. York, Hiſpaniola.

OUTWARDS. Schooner Peggy, G. Davidſon, for Jamaica. Schooner Barbados, H. Adamſon, and Brig George, P. Creighton, Barbados. Ship George and James, R. Service, and Ship Bridge, J. Towers, Liverpool. Sloop Dove, C. Freeman, Boſton. Ship Two Brothers, R. Adams, Liſbon. Brig Molly, J. Mullett, St. Kitts.

CLEARED. Ship Eſther, J. Guitton, to Cork. Sloop Charlotte, J. Coburne, and Ship Amelia, C. Le Maiſtre, New-York. Ship Betſy, S. Hood, Briſtol. Ship Carolina, B. Loxley, London. Brig Prince of Wales, W. Moore, South-Carolina. Schooner Phœnix, J. Beard, Nantucket. Ship Sally, S. Covell, Sloop Nancy, W. Huſſington, and Snow Britannia, R. Eyres, Virginia. Schooner Eunice, S. Smith, Halifax. Sloop Induſtry, E. Gorham, Boſton. Ship John, R. Hogget, Dominica. Shig Orange Bay, N. Somerville, Schooner Suſanna, T. Palmer, and Snow Sally, G. Gilbert, Jamaica. Sloop Elizabeth and Sarah, C. Bedlow, and Brig Morning-ſtar, T. Callender, St. Croix. Ship Nancy and Suky, J. Robinſon, Ship Friendſhip, J. Caſtle, and Ship Rebecca and Suſanna, R. Caſſon, Liſbon. Sloop Herring, B. Richards, Barbados. Brig William and Mary, J. Matthews, Antigua. Brig Tobago, J. Scott, Grenades.

Imported in the laſt Veſſels from London and Liverpool, by

RANDLE MITCHELL,

And to be ſold on reaſonable Terms, at his Store, in Water-ſtreet, near Walnut-ſtreet,

A LARGE and general Aſſortment of European and Eaſt-India GOODS; among which are, a neat Aſſortment of Queen's Ware; white, blue and white, and enamelled Stone Ware; containing Bowls, Cups and Saucers, Tea and Cream Pots, Diſhes and Plates, &c.

JUST imported, in the laſt veſſels from London, Liverpool and Glaſgow, and to be ſold, on the loweſt Terms, for CASH, or ſhort Credit, by

ABRAHAM USHER,

At his ſtore, in Front-ſtreet, the 5th door above Walnut-ſtreet,

AN aſſortment of GOODS, ſuitable to the SEASON, among which are, BROADCLOTHS, of various prices and colours, ſhaloons, durants, calimancoes, blue duffils, grey naps, white and red flannel, Iriſh linen and ſheetings, 7-8ths yard, and yard and 3-8ths linen and cotton checks, a neat aſſortment of velverets, hoſiery, camblets and camblettees, cambricks, clear lawns, calicoes, cottons and chints, lungee and new ſilk romals, ſtriped and plain muſlins, Scotch checked and kenting handkerchiefs, half yard and ell wide perſians, womens purple lamb gloves and mitts, mens and womens white and black lamb gloves, ſewing ſilks, ribbons, cinnamon, cloves and nutmegs, gunpowder, ſhot and lead, writing paper; alſo an aſſortment of gilt, ſilver pattern and mohair buttons, ſilk and hair and beſt ſcarf twiſt, knives, buckles, womens ſciſſars, and ſleeve buttons of various prices, Scotch thread, tapes, bobbin, &c. &c. &c.

LATELY IMPORTED, and to be SOLD, by

JOHN DUPUY,

Juſt below the Friends Meeting-houſe, in Second-ſtreet, a great variety of CLOCK and WATCH-MAKERS TOOLS, of the very beſt kinds, and at the cheapeſt rates, conſiſting of

BENCH and bright hand vizes, ſlip tongs, vize chops, ditto round noſe, clock nippers, beek irons, round noſe plyers, watch and clock flat ditto, ſide nippers, pendulum plyers, clock hammers, flat faced and round watch ditto, turn benches, clock and watch ſcrew-drivers, braſs pin tongs, double tweeſers, charging tongs, braſs calipers, clock hands, pevit broaſhers, ivory handles, watch ſtakes, clock pillar, pinion, equalling, ſcrew head, ſuperfine pevit, round off, verge, ballance wheel, barrel hole, nicking ſmooth, croſſing and pottance files, main ſprings, watch chains, chryſtals, braſs and ſteel watch keys, ſilk ſtrings, ſeals, money ſcales and weights, &c. &c. &c

N. B. Said DUPUY makes and repairs CLOCKS and WATCHES in the beſt manner. ¶

WANTED, *ſeveral ſums of money, on undoubted ſecurity; ſeveral boys as apprentices to different trades; Negroe men, women, boys, and girls.*---WANTS PLACES, *ſeveral ſervant men, in different capacities; ſeveral wet Nurſes, well recommended.*

Perſons may be informed gratis, where they may be accommodated with board and lodging.

To be ſold low for caſh, a general aſſortment of goods, houſhold furniture, and wearing apparel; a valuable collection of books, &c. &c. For further particulars, pleaſe to enquire at the Philadelphia Public General Regiſter Office of Intelligence, in Front-ſtreet, kept by

‖ 1 w. WILLIAM IBISON, Broker.

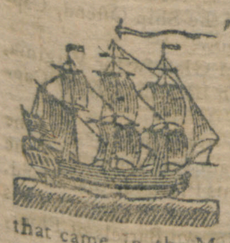
BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Saturday, the 30th inſtant, at 6 o'clock in the evening, at the London Coffee-houſe, a certain brick tenement, and lot of ground, ſituate in the Diſtrict of Southwark, on the weſt ſide of Front-ſtreet, containing in breadth about 13 feet and a half, and in depth about 60 feet; bounded by ground of William Huſton, and others; ſubject to a groundrent of 26s. and 3d. ſterling per ann. late the eſtate of William Huſton; ſeized and taken in execution, by JUDAH FOULKE, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Monday, the 9th of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon (and to be ſtruck off preciſely at two) at the houſe of Peter Hillegas, in Upper Hanover townſhip, a certain plantation, or tract of land, ſituate in Upper Hanover townſhip, containing about 180 Acres, be the ſame more or leſs; bounded by lands of Conrad Hillegas, Jacob Dutweiler, Michael Welker, and others; having a log tenement, barn and ſtables, erected thereon; late the eſtate of Michael Welker; ſeized and taken in execution, by JUDAH FOULKE, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Tueſday, the 10th of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon (and to be ſtruck off preciſely at two) at the houſe of Samuel Bachman, on Cheſtnut-hill, a certain meſſuage and tract of land, ſituate on Cheſtnut-hill, in Germantown townſhip, containing three acres and a half, and 10 perches, or thereabouts; bounded by the Great Road leading to Plymouth, the Great Road leading to Northwales, and by lands late of Michael Eckard, deceaſed. And a certain other tract of land, ſituate in the ſaid townſhip, containing 21 acres and 100 perches, be the ſame more or leſs; bounded by lands of Wiggard Miller, and others; late the eſtate of John Bouſs, deceaſed; ſeized and taken in execution by Joſeph Redman, Eſq; late Sheriff, and to be ſold by

JUDAH FOULKE, Sheriff.

Philadelphia, November 19, 1771.



THE Ship TYGER, GEORGE JOHNSTON, Commander, is juſt arrived from Cowes and Rotterdam, with 350 Freights of Palatines, all in good Health; their Paſſages are to be paid to WILLING and MORRIS, and the Ship rides at Anchor in the River Delaware, near their Wharff.

The Bagg ge of ſome of the Palatines, that came in the MINERVA, Captain ARNOT, is brought over in this Ship, and the Owners are deſired to apply as above; there are ſome Charges on its coming down from Germany to Holland, which muſt be paid to WILLING and MORRIS, **before ſaid Baggage is delivered.**

Philadelphia, November 19, 1771.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBERS,

In behalf of themſelves, and other owners of the following deſcribed piece of MEADOW GROUND, *viz.*

TWELVE ACRES, lying and being in the townſhip of Moyamenſing, and about a mile and a half from this city, bounded weſtwardly by a canal, lately run through a part, where Hollander's Creek is ſtopped out, and partly oppoſite the Moyamenſing houſes, on the ſouthwardly ſide, by the dam, and on the eaſt by the middle of the old bank, on the Wicacoa ſide. For further particulars, enquire of JOSEPH WHARTON, JOSEPH MORRIS.

Philadelphia, 11th Month (November) 21, 1771.

THOSE that have any demands againſt the eſtate of JOHN ARMITT, are deſired to bring in their accounts to the ſubſcribers, by the 10th of next month, in order to enable the Aſſignees to make a dividend of the money in their hands; and thoſe that neglect to furniſh their accounts by the time mentioned, will be excluded from receiving their dividend. ¶

JOHN MIFFLIN, SAMUEL and JOHN MORTON, Aſſignees.

Philadelphia, November 19, 1771.

NOTICE IS GIVEN TO

ALL Perſons indebted to BENJAMIN KENDALL, of this City, that they are required to make ſpeedy Payment to the Subſcribers, Aſſignees, to whom he has conveyed all his Eſtate, real and perſonal, for the Benefit of his Creditors, who are deſired to bring in their Accounts to be adjuſted, in order that the Whole of the Demands againſt him may be aſcertained, and a Diſtribution made in due Time.

The ſaid Aſſignees will be ready to treat with ſuch Perſons, as are inclinable to purchaſe any Part of the following deſcribed Real Eſtate of the ſaid Kendall, *viz.*

A convenient well-finiſhed DWELLING-HOUSE, almoſt new, three Stories high, ſituate on the North ſide of Cheſtnut-ſtreet, 24 Feet front, about 42 Feet deep, with commodious Back-buildings adjoining, good dry Cellars, and well-built Vaults under them, the Lot free of Groundrent, is 90 Feet deep from Cheſtnut-ſtreet.

A HOUSE and LOT, contiguous to the above, ſituate at the North-eaſt Corner of Cheſtnut and Third-ſtreets, with the Stables, &c. having been many Years a well accuſtomed Inn, and now letts for £80 per Annum, the Houſe being 26 Feet front on Cheſtnut-ſtreet, and about 40 Feet on Third-ſtreet, and the Lot the ſame Depth as the laſt mentioned.

Alſo two Tracts of well-improved MEADOW GROUND, in Paſſyunk Townſhip, on Greenwich Iſland; one of them containing 14 Acres and three Quarters; the other ſix Acres and 12 Perches; diſtant about three Miles from the City.

Likewiſe a ſmall Tract of LAND, in the Townſhip of Moyamenſing, about eight Acres, with a convenient Brick Tenement, about 50 Feet front, thereon erected, Part of which is unfiniſhed; alſo a Frame Barn, a Well of good Water and Pump, an Orchard, Garden, and other Improvements, about one Mile and an Half diſtant from the City.

A Tract of 750 Acres of LAND, near Wilmington, in North-Carolina.

Six Hundred Acres of LAND, Part in Queen Ann's County, and Part in Dorſet County, Maryland.

Five Hundred and Fifty Acres in Suſſex County, on Delaware.

A LOT of LAND, near Mount-Holly Meeting-houſe, in Burlington County, New-Jerſey, about 21 Acres.

A Quantity of HAY, at the Plantation, in Moyamenſing.

JAMES PEMBERTON, JACOB SHOEMAKER, jun. JOSEPH PARKER.

SUSANNAH MURPHY,

LATELY arrived from CORK, would be very glad to ſee or hear of her Huſband, JOHN MURPHY (a Cooper by Trade) who embarked from Cork, the 8th of June laſt, in a Veſſel called the Duke of York, bound to this Place, or Maryland. If any One knows where the ſaid Murphy is, or what is become of him, they will receive many Thanks for their Information at the Printers hereof, by SUSANNAH MURPHY.

Philadelphia, November 21, 1771.

JOHN HANNA, BRUSH-MAKER,

At the Corner of Second and Cheſtnut-ſtreets,

GIVES *the higheſt price for* Hogs Briſtles; *where may be had all ſorts of* Bruſhes, *ſuch as weavers, fullers, hatters, and tanners bruſhes. He has alſo imported from London, a large aſſortment of painters bruſhes, ſuch as pound bruſhes, &c. likewiſe a fine aſſortment of tools. Orders from country ſtores ſhall be punctually attended to, on the loweſt terms. Beſt ſhining Blacking Ball may be had of ſaid* JOHN HANNA. ¶

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

Bucks county, November 19, 1771.

WHEREAS the houſe of the ſubſcriber was, laſt night, robbed of a pine cheſt, painted Pruſſian blue; in ſaid cheſt was a needle-wrought pocket-book (on the front of the pocket-book, juſt under the lap, was wrought in WILLIAM SMITH) which contained TWENTY-SIX POUNDS, in paper money: The perſon who committed this robbery, is one JOHN KELLY (a man who was hired to work about the houſe) a native Iriſhman, ſpeaks bad Engliſh; he is about 5 feet 6 inches high, of a dark complexion, has very black hair, which he wears curled a little; had with him a very good beaver hat, and a coarſe wool ditto, a claret-coloured coat and jacket, a blue ſailor jacket, and a ſtriped ditto, with the ſtripes acroſs his body, a pair of new buckſkin breeches, and a pair of grey cloth ditto: He ſtole alſo from his employer, a pair of dove-coloured velvet breeches, tied at the knees with a ſattin ribbon, of the ſame colour; a pair of dark coloured worſted ſtockings, and had two pair of thread ditto of his own; had a pair of ſhoes and a pair of turned pumps: He took with him a ſmall wallet, containing ſeveral things, among which was a pewter pint, almoſt new. Whoever takes up ſaid robber, and ſecures him in any of his Majeſty's goals, ſo that he may be brought to juſtice, ſhall have the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by JOHN LOUGHEAD, in Bucks county, or PETER SUTTER, Tavern-keeper, at the ſign of the Queen's head, in Strawberry-alley, Philadelphia.

*** *All maſters of veſſels, and others, are forbid to carry off, or harbour him at their peril.* h2

TO BE SOLD,

By the Subſcriber, living eight Miles above LANCASTER,

A NEGROE MAN, who underſtands moſt Sorts of Plantation Work, is a likely able Man, about 28 Years of Age, and is to be ſold for no Fault, but Want of Employ, by me SAMUEL SCOTT. ¶

FIVE POUNDS Reward.

STRAYED or ſtolen out of the paſture of the ſubſcriber, living in Eaſt-Caln Townſhip, Cheſter County, near Downing's mill, on the night of the 16th inſtant, a large bay mare, 4 years old laſt ſpring, bald-faced, with 4 white feet; ſhe has a ſpot of white under her jaw, on the far ſide, about 15 hands and an half high, a natural pacer. Whoever ſecures ſaid mare and the thief, ſo that he may be brought to juſtice, ſhall have the above reward, or Four Dollars for the mare, and reaſonable charges, paid by JAMES HOOD. *Nov.* 18, 1771. ¶

For LONDONDERRY,

The Ship JUPITER,

ALEXANDER EWING, Maſter,

WILL be clear to ſail the Firſt Day of December, has excellent accommodations for paſſengers.---For freight or paſſage, apply to ANDREW CALDWELL and J. WILSON, or ſaid maſter on board, at William Allen, Eſquire's wharff.

TO BE SOLD,

On Saturday, the 30th day of November inſt. at 12 o'clock, oppoſite the London Coffee-houſe,

FOUR VALUABLE NEGROES, belonging to the eſtate of SARAH CARDINER, deceaſed, three teen, all brought up to farming, one aged 40, one 29, and one 24 years, the other a briſk lively woman, about 30 years old, uſed to country work. All perſons indebted to ſaid eſtate, are deſired to make payment, and all that have any demands againſt the eſtate, are deſired to bring in their accounts to ROBERT TOWERS, and WILLIAM SHUTE, Adminiſtrators. ¶

THIS is to give notice to the public, that there are now two men in Trenton goal, Hunterdon county; one of them committed by the name of *John Mooney*; who ſays his name is *John M'Kell*; it is thought he has run away from his bail, *John Megaw*, who advertiſed ſuch a like man in the Pennſylvania Gazette, No. 2237. The other goes by the name of *John M'Fall*, and ſays he was left by his uncle, in the care of Carſon, Barclay, and Mitchell, merchants, in Front-ſtreet, Philadelphia. Any perſon or perſons claiming right to both, or either of the abovementioned men, are hereby requeſted to come and relieve them from their confinement, otherwiſe they will be ſold to pay coſts, and goal fees, on Saturday, the 14th day of December, 1771, by PETER HANKINSON, Goaler. ¶

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, living in Baltimore county, near Elk-Ridge Landing, the 15th of September laſt, a convict ſervant man, named JOHN HILYEAR, about 30 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, wears his own ſhort brown hair, is of a fair complexion; he is hard of hearing; had on a caſtor hat, red ſilk handkerchief, holland ſhirt, brown jacket and breeches, grey ſtockings, and country ſhoes. Whoever takes up ſaid ſervant, and ſecures him in any goal, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall have THREE POUNDS reward; but if brought home FIVE POUNDS, and reaſonable charges, paid by

§ EDWARD NORWOOD.

LIKEWISE,

RUN away from ſaid Norwood, the 26th of October laſt, another convict ſervant, named JOHN BOTTIN, a Bricklayer by trade, about 5 feet 8 inches high, wears his own ſhort brown hair, ſome of which grey, about 25 years old, a little pock-marked, has a ſore on his left knee; had on, when he went away, a caſtor hat, holland ſhirt, brown duffil coat, flannel jacket, white buckſkin breeches, Engliſh worſted ſtockings, and ſhoes. Whoever takes up ſaid BOTTIN, and ſecures him, ſo that his maſter may get him again, ſhall be entitled to the like reward as is offered above for HILYEAR, paid by

† EDWARD NORWOOD.

Warwick Townſhip, Bucks County, November 15, 1771.

CAME to the Plantation of JONATHAN BAVINGTON, laſt Spring, a pied BULL, a Yearling, and now in the Care of Thomas M'Maſters. The Owner is deſired to come, prove his Property, pay Charges, and take him away, or elſe he will be diſpoſed of for the Coſt. †

WHEREAS I have been requeſted by ſundry perſons, anxious to improve themſelves in the art of architecture, to undertake the teaching ſo neceſſary a myſtery as the carpenter's buſineſs is; I will take upon me to inſtruct a ſmall number of youths, or others, the right uſe and conſtruction of lines for the formation of regular or irregular arches, groines for vaults or cielings, brackets for plaiſtered cornices, and the like; the beſt method for ſtriking out the ramp, and twiſt-rails for ſtair-caſes; the moſt expeditious and approved method of diminiſhing columns and pilaſters; the readieſt rule for laying out the flutes and fillets; the method of forming raking cornices for pediments, &c. The geometrical rules for finding the length, back and bevel of hip or valley rafters, to any conſtruction, ſtreight or circular, and to lay down principal roofs in ledgement, moſt of the performances aforeſaid ſhall be delineated and put in practice in miniature, after which I propoſe to proceed to teach regularly the drawing of the five orders, and deſigns, and generally each branch requiſite to form a true and compleat architect; all which, by a perſon of a common capacity, may be gone through and learnt in two months at moſt, on the following reaſonable terms, to wit,---As ſoon as ſix perſons, at leaſt, have acquainted me with their intent of being taught, I ſhall attend at my own houſe, at the ſign of the Carpenter's-hall, in Fourth-ſtreet, near Union-ſtreet, four nights in each week, they paying Ten Shillings for entrance, and Twenty Shillings per month. THOMAS NEVELL. ‖ 7s6.

For CORK,

The Brig PATTY,

ROBERT HARDIE, Maſter,

A Good veſſel, almoſt new, has good accommodations for paſſengers, and ſails faſt, lying at John Jones's wharff, near the Swedes Church, has three quarters of her cargoe already engaged, and will ſail about the middle of December. Thoſe that deſign to ſhip, are deſired to be ſpeedy in their application. For freight or paſſage, apply to ſaid maſter on board, at the London Coffee-houſe, or at his houſe, the upper end of Spruce-ſtreet, or to ANDREW DOZ, at the houſe of Nathaniel Donnell, in Front-ſtreet, near the Drawbridge. ¶ *Nov.* 20.

For NEWRY,

The SHIP

Pennſylvania Farmer,

ROBERT JOHNSTON, Maſter;

Will be clear to ſail with the firſt Flaxſeed Veſſels, has excellent Accommodations for Paſſengers, and the MASTER well experienced in the Trade. For Freight or Paſſage, apply to *George Fullerton*, and *James Blair*, *Caldwell* and *Wilſon*, or the Maſter on board, at the upper Side of Market-ſtreet Wharff.

For NEWRY,

The BRIGANTINE

JUPITER,

ROBERT SOUTTER, Maſter;

And will ſail with all Expedition. For Freight or Paſſage, agree with ſaid Maſter on board, at Stamper's Wharff; or with CARSAN, BARCLAY and MITCHELL, who have for Sale, on very reaſonable Terms, a large Quantity of Dry Goods, ſuitable to the Seaſon, and a few Hogſheads of excellent bottled Porter. ¶ 4 W.

Baltimore, November 8, 1771.

For LONDONDERRY,

The SHIP

PRINCE of WALES,

THOMAS MORRISON, Maſter,

HAS two Thirds of her Cargoe engaged, and will be ready to ſail early in December; ſhe is a ſtout roomy Ship, ſails faſt, is well accommodated for Paſſengers, and the Maſter well acquainted with the Iriſh Coaſt. For Freight or Paſſage, apply to SAMUEL and ROBERT PURVIANCE, or to ſaid Maſter on board the Ship, at Fell's Point. †4w.

ROBERT WILSON,

HAS imported in the Hawke, Captain Williams, from LONDON, a general Aſſortment of GOODS, ſuitable for the approaching Seaſon, which he will ſell on the moſt reaſonable Terms, at his Store, in Second-ſtreet, near the Corner of Cheſtnut-ſtreet. ¶

Philadelphia, November 16, 1771.

A CERTAIN *servant man, named* ROBERT MOORE, *by trade a Weaver, who came from Ireland in the brig Dolphin, last May, and, on the 28th of September, went from this city towards Christiana Bridge, under pretence of finding a friend to release him, is desired to return to Philadelphia, before the 30th of this instant; otherwise he will be advertised as a runaway.*

The subscriber has opened an EVENING SCHOOL *(with a well qualified assistant) at his School-House, in Union-street, near Second-street; where are taught, writing, arithmetic, book-keeping, geometry, trigonometry, algebra, mensuration, gauging, surveying, navigation, geography, &c. &c.*

ANDREW PORTER.

TO BE SOLD,

By the Subscriber, living in the Borough of Lancaster,

THE noted and well accustomed Tavern, in Queen-street, a few doors below the Court-House, known by the Sign of the Crown and Boot; the house is 3 stories high, with convenient lodging rooms throughout, a good cellar under the whole house, and an arched cellar under the pavement, 30 feet by 16, with a never failing stream of good water running through the same; the lot is 64 feet 4 inches and a half in front, and in depth 245 feet, and subject to the old groundrent of 7s. per annum. The whole front is built upon, excepting 9 feet of a passage to the yard; a good convenient kitchen adjoining said house, a large brick stable, well finished, with stalls sufficient to contain 50 or 60 horses; a large yard, and good sheds, with feeding troughs, and a never failing pump in said yard, and a good garden on the back part of said lot, fronting on a 14 feet alley.

Likewise one half acre lot in said Borough, free of groundrent, well fenced with locust posts, and chestnut pales; the lot is rich, and fit for grass, barley or hemp. Also 20 acres of excellent land, about one mile from said Borough, of the best quality for hemp or grass, on which is a good barn, and is fenced into 4 lots, with locust posts, and good rails; the whole in good repair.

Immediate possession will be given to the buyer. For terms apply to the owner, living on the premises, HENRY HELM. ¶

To be SOLD, by the Subscriber,

Altogether, or divided into two parts to suit the purchasers,

A *VALUABLE plantation, and tract of land, situate in the township of Kennet, and county of Chester, about 9 miles from Wilmington, and a mile distant from Robert Lewis's mills, containing about 146 acres, about one half cleared, 16 acres of excellent watered meadow, and as much more may be made; likewise two dwelling-houses, a very good barn, and other convenient buildings, with excellent water, near the doors of the said houses; the woodland well timbered; an indisputable title will be made for the whole. For further particulars, enquire of* GEORGE GORDON, *in Water-street, Wilmington, and near to Messieurs Wade and Hempbill's wharff and stores.* GEORGE GORDON.

N. B. Time will be given for the easy payment of the purchase money, by G. G. ‡

CAME to the subscriber, living in Bucks county, Bensalem township, near Neshaminy Ferry, the 21st day of October last, a BAY MARE, with a blaze down her face, shortish mane and tail, trots natural, appears to be about 9 or 10 years old, and about 13 hands and a half high. The owner is desired to come and prove his property, pay the cost, and take her away, by JOSEPH ALLEN. ‡

New-Castle, November 16, 1771.

STOLEN or STRAYED, *from the door of* James Reid's *tavern, at Christiana Bridge, on Friday night, the 8th instant,* a BAY MARE, *nine or ten years old, shod before, blind of the left eye, her forehead mixed with grey hairs, a natural pacer, the off hind foot white: Had on, when taken away, a half-worn saddle, with a hog-skin seat and crupper, no saddle cloth or girth. Whoever takes up said mare, and brings her to the subscriber, living in New-Castle, shall have* TWENTY SHILLINGS *reward, and reasonable charges, paid by* MATTHIAS VAN BEBBER. ‡

RUN *away, on the 13th of this instant November, from the subscriber, living in Concord township, Chester county, an apprentice lad, about 18 years of age, a cooper by trade, about five feet four inches high, fair complexion, light hair, stoops in his walk, and is round shouldered: Had on, when he went away, a half-worn beaver hat, a light coloured home made cloth coat, the lining tore before, the buttons chiefly of a light colour, broadcloth jacket, with the buttons off, tow shirt and trowsers, grey yarn stockings, old calfskin shoes, and Pinchbeck buckles. Whoever takes up said servant, and brings him to his said master, shall have* TWENTY SHILLINGS *reward, and reasonable charges, paid by*

¶ NATH. NEWLIN.

Amwell, West-Jersey, November 15, 1771.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY.

A FULLER, *that can dye and dress cloth, in all the branches of that business, may have good encouragement by the year, month, or to work on shares, or have the mills rented to him. There is always plenty of work. Apply to*

§ SAMUEL KITCHEN, *at said mills.*

ANTHONY FORTUNE,

At the Sign of the Fountain and Three Tuns, in Chestnut-street, between Second and Third-streets,

BEGS Leave to inform his Friends and Customers in particular, and the Public in general, that he now has opened a large and commodious passage from Chestnut to Market-streets, by Way of Elbow-Lane, sufficient for Carriages of any Kind to drive up into his Yard, where he has fitted up commodious Stables, capable of receiving 60 Horses, with Coach and Chaise Houses, and Gates under Locks, for the Safety of Waggons, &c. He has also a large commodious Room, suitable for the Reception of Juries, or any Sett of Gentlemen, to the Number of Sixty or more, on public or private Business.----All those who shall be pleased to put up at his House, may depend on his utmost Endeavours to give them general Satisfaction, and their Favours will be ever gratefully acknowledged, by their obedient humble Servant, ANTHONY FORTUNE. ¶

STRAYED, or stolen, on the 14th or 15th of this inst. October, from the plantatation of James Thackray, in Middletown, Bucks county, a bright bay well set MARE, 14 hands high, 10 years old last summer, a small star in her forehead, shod before, has a trimmed mane, no brand nor earmark, a natural pacer, but can trot, and in remarkable good order. Whoever takes up said mare, and brings her to the aforesaid James Thackray, shall have Twenty Shillings, and if the thief is also secured in any goal, so that he may be brought to justice, Forty Shillings for the mare and thief, and reasonable charges, paid by ISAAC THACKRAY. §

THE Trustees of the Academy of Newark are requested to observe, that they are to meet at Newark on the third of December next, on business of importance.

The Trustees finding that Complaints were made, that some of the Inhabitants of Newark, had taken 18 or 20 Pounds per Ann. for the Board, &c. of Pupils, enquired into the Foundation of the Report; and received the fullest Assurance from the Inhabitants, that they will not ask nor receive more than Fifteen Pounds per Annum for the future, but will adhere to their Stipulations with the Trustees. As it is the Design of the Trustees to provide good and sufficient Lodgings and Accommodations for the Pupils as cheap as possible, they take this Opportunity of informing the Public, that no Student can be admitted into that Institution, whose Parents or Guardians insist upon extraordinary Attendance or Accommodations. *Per Order of the Trustees,*

October 10, 1771. HUGH WILLIAMSON, Secretary.

TO BE SOLD,

AN EXCELLENT good SPINNET, in very good Order. Enquire of the Printers hereof. §

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, on Friday, the 22d day of this instant November, at 6 o' clock in the evening, at the London Coffee-house, a certain piece or lot of ground, situate on the south side of Christian-street, in Passyunk township, containing in breadth 60 feet, and in length or depth 214 feet, having a frame building erected thereon; bounded by said Christian-street, and by lands of John Lownes, Bartholomew Busher, and Christian Snyder; subject to a groundrent of 3 l. per ann. late the estate of Jacob Raybold; seized and taken in execution, by

JUDAH FOULKE, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, on Tuesday, the 26th of this instant November, at one o' clock in the afternoon (and to be struck off precisely at four) at the house of Matthew Lukens, at the Falls of Schuylkill, a certain tract of land, situate in the Northern Liberties of the city of Philadelphia, containing one acre and 103 perches, be the same more or less, bounded by Wissahickon road, and lands late of James Steel, deceased; having a snuff-mill, oil-mill, and other buildings erected thereon; late the estate of Nathaniel Tweedy, deceased; seized and taken in execution, by JUDAH FOULKE, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, on the 22d day of November inst. at 3 o' clock in the afternoon, at the dwelling-house of Andrew Keekline, Inn-keeper, in the township of Rockhill, a certain piece or parcel of land, situate in Haycock township, bounded by land of John Huny, and others, containing about 100 acres, be the same more or less, with the appurtenances; late the property of George Stephen Akerman, deceased, in possession of William Deal, Executor of the said George Stephen Akerman; seized and taken in execution by Joseph Ellicott, late Sheriff, and to be sold by RICHARD GIBBS, *Sheriff.* ¶

To be SOLD, by PUBLIC VENDUE,

On TUESDAY, the 26th of November inst.

A VALUABLE plantation, situate in West-Caln township, Chester county, containing near 300 acres, about 100 of which are cleared, a large quantity of meadow already made, and much more may be made at a small expence, an exceeding good orchard, which produces annually a great quantity of fruit; on said premises are a tolerable good dwelling-house, barn, stables, &c. a saw-mill, in good repair, built about 4 years ago, on a branch of Brandywine, which runs through said tract. At the same time and place will be sold, a large quantity of hay, buckwheat, cyder, and Indian corn. Attendance and reasonable credit will be given, by Dr. SAMUEL KENNEDY, in the Great-Valley. N. B. The plantation may be very conveniently divided.

The purchaser may have any reasonable time that suits him, for paying the purchase money, if properly secured. Any person inclinable to purchase before the day of sale, may apply as above.

Also, to be lett, and may be entered upon the first day of April next, a valuable plantation, containing near 200 acres, situate in Whiteland township, adjoining the White Horse, with a very good dwelling-house, barn, stables, and other out-houses, an excellent good meadow and orchard, and every other convenience suitable for a farmer. Apply as above. *October* 26, 1771. ¶ 7 56.

To be SOLD, by way of public VENDUE, on Saturday, November the 23d, at two o' clock in the afternoon, on the premises,

A VALUABLE plantation, containing 147 acres of land, with a large convenient stone dwelling-house, a good barn, and stables sufficient to contain 100 horses, a young thriving orchard, a sufficient quantity of meadow, the fences in good repair, the house hath been a well accustomed tavern for many years, known by the name of the Sign of the Ship, pleasantly situated in the forks of two great roads, one leading from Philadelphia to Bethlehem, the other to Maxatawny, situate in the township of Gwynedd, and county of Philadelphia, 22 miles from the city. The title is indisputable. Where due attendance will be given, and the conditions of sale be made known by JACOB HISLER, GEORGE MARIS, and JOHN JENKINS. †

N. B. The above plantation is well watered and timbered.

To be SOLD, by PUBLIC VENDUE, at 3 o' clock, on Saturday, the 23d of November instant, at the White-horse Tavern, in the Great Valley, Chester county,

A CERTAIN messuage, and tract of about seven acres of land, whereon there is a good two story dwelling-house, with two rooms on a floor, and a cellar under the whole, a stable and cow-house, a young bearing orchard, 3 or 4 acres of good mowable meadow, and the remainder of the land in good condition, situate on the great road leading from Philadelphia to Lancaster, and within 40 perches of the White-horse Tavern, very suitable for a shop-keeper or tradesman. The terms will be made known on the day of sale, and a good and sufficient title in fee, will be given by the subscriber, JAMES HUNTER.

N. B. Mr. KERLIN, at the White-horse, will shew the premises to any enquirer. ¶

To be SOLD, at a moderate Price,

A GOOD convenient plantation, containing 300 acres, or thereabouts, a high, wholesome and pleasant situation, a comfortable dwelling-house, a barn and other buildings, about 30 acres of bank meadow, and more may be made, 30 or 35 acres of timber swamp meadow, the upland kind for grain, an apple and peach orchard, cherry, and other growing fruit trees, the improved land within good fence, the woodland as well wooded as most, adjoining a navigable water, as it is bounded part by Mantua-creek, lying in the township of Deptford, in Gloucester county, and Western Division of the province of New-Jersey, near Mantua-creek Bridge, and the great road leading from Cohansey and Salem to Philadelphia, 13 miles from thence to Cooper's Ferry.

Also to be sold, 50 acres of cedar swamp, well timbered, and the most convenient to get posts and rails for fencing the farms on each side the Delaware river of any I know of, it is situate in the township of Woolwich, in the county and province aforesaid, near opposite Chester, adjoining lands of Lynford Lardner and Samuel Tonkins, within a mile of two good landings, one by Raccoon-creek, near the mouth, and one on the river shore; the said swamp to be sold the whole together or in lots, as may best suit the purchaser or purchasers thereof.

Any person inclining to purchase the plantation, or cedar swamp, may view the premises, and be informed of the conditions of sale, by applying to the subscriber, living on the aforesaid plantation, JAMES HINCHMAN. § *Thetf.*

WHEREAS the Agreement made the 16th Day of February, in the Year of our Lord, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty-seven, between Richard Stevens, and the Assignees of his Estate, hath not yet been complied with on their Part: These are therefore to give Notice to all his Creditors whom it may concern, that he intends to apply to the General Assembly of New-Jersey, for Relief in the Premises, at their next Meeting at Burlington, which commences the 20th Instant. *November* 8, 1771.

WANTED,

A PERSON that understands driving a POST-CHAISE, and is capable of taking proper Care of Horses, &c. Any such Person, who can be well recommended for his Honesty and Sobriety, may hear of a Place, by applying to the Printers of this Paper.

LATELY PUBLISHED, and to be sold, by HALL and SELLERS, and JOSEPH CRUCKSHANK, in Philadelphia, and ISAAC COLLINS, in Burlington,

AN HISTORICAL ACCOUNT of GUINEA; its situation, produce, and the general disposition of its inhabitants; with an enquiry into the rise and progress of the *Slave Trade*, its nature and effects. To which are added, The sentiments of several authors of note, on this interesting subject, by

ANTHONY BENEZET.

WILLIAM BALL,

Has removed from Front-street, near the Coffee-house, to Market-street, three doors below Messieurs Hall and Sellers's Printing-Office, where he continues the Silversmith's and Jeweller's trade, as usual.

He has lately imported, and will sell cheap for cash, or short credit,

AN assortment of rose blankets, also blue duffils, halfthicks, 6-qr. cloth, bearskin, mottled rugs, Irish linen, money scales and weights, weights without scales, watch pendants, main springs, verges, glasses, hands and dial-plates, magnifying glasses, watch seals and keys, clock bells, gut, cast faces, heads and arch pieces, crucibles, pumicestone, borax, blow pipes, corral beads, chased and plain whistles and bells, plain and chased smelling-bottles, ditto tweezer cases, steel top, silver and Pinchbeck thimbles, jewellers brushes, stone rings, buttons, &c. set in gold, stone, shoe and knee, stock and bosom buckles, both English and Philadelphia made, plated spurs, &c. &c. Also a neat assortment of silver work, as shoe, knee, and stock buckles, tea and table spoons, wine cocks, pepper and mustard casters, cream pots, sugar pots, a tea and coffee pot, candlesticks and snuffers, gold and silver sleeve-buttons, ear and finger rings, paper snuff-boxes, chapes and tongues, &c. &c. a neat eight-day clock, with a mahogany case, some high priced silver watches, and sundry other articles too tedious to mention.

To be SOLD, or LETT,

A Tract of LAND, situate on Mantua Creek, in the township of Deptford, in the county of Gloucester, containing 4439 acres, well timbered; with a new saw-mill, on an excellent stream, which affords a sufficiency of water to saw in the driest time; with houses, and all other conveniencies, in excellent order for carrying on the business of said mill, and is one of the best situations in that part of the country, in a thick settled neighbourhood, contiguous to a good transportation, being five miles from a good landing on Timber Creek, and four miles from a landing on said Mantua Creek, twelve miles from the town of Gloucester, and ten from Ladd's Cove.

ALSO, TO BE SOLD,

30 acres of cedar swamp, on a run called Still-run, part thereof extraordinary good, having never been worked in; also 84 acres of pine land, well timbered, adjoining the same, and but four miles distant from the abovesaid mill.

60 acres of cedar swamp, that has not been worked in, situate in the township of Deptford, on the Main branch of Morris's River, called Scotland Branch, nearly adjoining Jacob Freate's saw-mill.

104 acres and a half of cedar swamp, in Deptford township, on a branch of Great Egg-harbour river, called Faraway, it lies contiguous to a good transportation, being about three miles from said river; it lies in three surveys, and may be divided to suit the purchasers.

20 acres of tide meadow improved, of the richest and best quality, all under good bank, and part of it fit for grass seed, at the mouth of Raccoon Creek, nearly opposite the town of Chester.

1000 acres on Absecon Beach, affording very good pasture, and is an extraordinary place for raising and keeping cattle, horses, and sheep, and part thereof well timbered with red cedar.

835 acres on Brigantine Beach, having the like advantages; also a dwelling-house and other improvements.

1500 acres of land and marsh, the greatest part thereof the best kind of salt marsh, lying on the west side of Great Egg-harbour River, and on Gibson's Creek, and is an excellent place for raising and keeping stock; it lies in several surveys adjoining each other, and may be divided to suit several purchasers; there is also on said place a dwelling-house, with some improvements, and one of the best fishing-places on Great Egg-harbour River, where is caught great quantities of Rock, Perch, &c.

Also a tract of very good land, pleasantly situated on the River Delaware, in Sussex county, a little above Easton and Philipsburgh, and near the Marble Mountain, containing 285 acres, well timbered, part thereof improved, and is the plantation whereon Mordecai Winter lives; bounded by lands now or late belonging to Isaac and Joseph de Cow, Thomas Wetherill, and Daniel Smith.

6 acres on said Marble Mountain, some part thereof well timbered, and a large quarry of good marble therein, nearly opposite Easton; bounded by lands late Col. Daniel Coxe's, and by Delaware River, and lies very convenient to transport marble down said river to Philadelphia.

The purchasers paying part of the money down, may have time for the remainder, paying interest, and giving security, if required. Any person inclining to purchase, may depend on an indefeasible title, from HANNAH LADD, near Woodbury, in Gloucester county, New-Jersey, of whom the terms of sale may be known.

ALL persons having any demands against the estate of JOHN LADD, Esq; late of said county, deceased, are desired to bring them in, to be adjusted; and such who are indebted to said estate, are requested to make speedy payment to the aforesaid

HANNAH LADD, Executrix.

For BELFAST, and NEWRY,

The ship KITTY and PEGGY,
DUNCAN FERGUSON,
MASTER;

Will sail with the first flaxseed ships; she is a stout ship, and has excellent accommodations for passengers. For freight or passage, apply to GEORGE FULLERTON, JAMES BLAIR, or the Captain on board, at Massey's wharff.

N. B. Said *George Fullerton* has imported a large quantity of yard wide and 7-8ths Irish linens, and 9 8ths Irish sheetings, which he will sell extreamly cheap; also a few bags of cotton.

For LIVERPOOL,

The Snow MOLLY,
JOHN BUTLER, MASTER,

Will sail about the 25th inst. having great part of her cargoe ready to go on board, has good accommodations for passengers. For freight or passage, apply to Benjamin Harbeson, *at his warehouse, in Market-street, or the master on board, at Mr. Abraham Bickley's wharff.*

Just imported in said snow, and other vessels from Europe, and to be sold, by Benjamin Harbeson, *at his warehouse, Liverpool pipes of all sorts by the box, a general assortment of Liverpool earthen ware, such as Queen's, enamelled, white, brown and red ware, by the crate, pig lead, grindstones, mens and boys felt hats, bellows for kitchen and parlour, an assortment of checks, bed ticks and bunts, Irish linen, a few crates of glass ware, 8 by 10 window glass, a large assortment of English and country made copper tea-kettles, warming-pans, sauce-pans, &c. a general assortment of copper, brass, tin and pewter wares, as usual, and an assortment of ironmongery, cross cut, whip and saw-mill saws, with many other articles, not here inserted. A few loads of Liverpool smiths coal, to be sold on board said snow.* ¶ Philad. Nov. 7, 1771.

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The PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE.

Containing the Freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtic.

Meſſieurs HALL and SELLERS,

Pleaſe to inſert the following in your impartial Paper, and oblige your conſtant Cuſtomer.

SOME of the greateſt Men of the preſent Age have obſerved, that the great Coſt attending Suits at Law, is a Grievance that has long been complained of in our Mother Country; and I believe the Complaint may, with equal Juſtice, be applied to moſt of the *Engliſh* Governments in *America*. The late unhappy Diſpute in the Province of *North-Carolina*, is a recent melancholy Inſtance of the Truth of this Obſervation; the Riot in *Monmouth* County, in this Province, was likewiſe occaſioned by the great Expence of Law Suits, which threw the Government into the greateſt Confuſion for ſome Time, but happily it ended, without the Loſs of any Lives. I do not mean from hence, to caſt the leaſt Reflection upon his Excellency our Governor, who, with equal Honour to himſelf, and Satisfaction to the People, preſides over us; and I am perſuaded, would contribute all in his Power, to redreſs any Grievance in the Colony. Nor do I intend to blame any of the other (preſent) Honourable Branches of the Legiſlature; my Apprehenſions are from another Quarter.

The Writer of the Piece, Signed *S. T.* and dated *New-Jerſey*, publiſhed in the *Pennſylvania Gazette*, No. 2238, has made a moſt extraordinary Calculation, whereby he endeavours to ſhew, that the Province loſt annually 3055*l.* by the *Ten Pounds* Law. I believe there are but few People in the Province that think as this Gentleman does; I am perſuaded there is not one in an Hundred of his Opinion. He ſays, "Now it will be found on Enquiry, that in the Year immediately preceding the *Ten Pounds* Act, there were but about twenty Actions brought in the County of *Burlington*, on which any Proceedings were had, for Demands between *Six* and *Ten Pounds*."---But the Gentleman has not ſhewn how many Actions were brought, on which no Proceedings were had. I believe there are not Half the Actions that are brought before Juſtices of the Peace, but what the Matter is immediately ſettled, upon the Conſtables ſerving the Summons or Warrant; and conſequently no farther Proceedings had; and I can ſee no Reaſon why there are not near as many ſettled upon ſerving a Proceſs by the Sheriff.---That there would be a few more Actions brought before Juſtices of the Peace, than would be brought before the Upper Courts, where the Demand is from *Six* to *Ten Pounds*, I will readily allow, the Reaſon of which is very manifeſt; for if a poor Man is indebted to me *Seven* or *Eight Pounds*, I muſt bring an Action againſt him in the Court of Common Pleas, the Coſt of which will be often *Seven Pounds*, or more; and ſuppoſe the poor Man has Goods to the Amount of *Seven* or *Eight Pounds*, now when the Coſt is paid (which muſt be before the Debt) there will be but little left for my Share, to prevent which the Creditors often give away Part of the Debt, or what is the ſame Thing, demand no more than what is cognizable before a Magiſtrate, or perhaps gets the Debtor to give two ſeparate Notes, in order that he may bring an Action before a Juſtice of the Peace, the Coſt of which in common, is but *Seven Shillings* and *Three-pence*, which being paid, the Remainder of the Debtor's Goods, of courſe, becomes bound to the Creditors, and how the Public can ſuffer by ſuch Proceedings, I am unable to determine; if I miſtake not, Mr. *S. T.* would have received an annual Loſs, had the *Ten Pounds* Act continued in Force.---The Gentleman is pleaſed to ſay, that by my own ſhewing, the *Ten Pounds* Act has occaſioned the bringing of Seventy Actions in a Year, more than there otherwiſe would have been, in the County of *Burlington* only; and he ſays, if we allow the ſame Increaſe in the other Twelve Counties, the Increaſe of Suits, occaſioned by that Law, will be Nine Hundred and Ten in a Year. Mr. *S. T.* ſuppoſes there are as many Actions brought in each of the other Counties, as there are in the County of *Burlington*, than which, nothing can be more unreaſonable; for *Burlington* County is the largeſt in the Province (except *Hunterdon*) and near five Times as large as *Cape-May* County, if we judge from the Taxes they pay, which is the only true Rule.

Mr. *S. T.* ſays, that I have rated the Coſts on every Action brought before a Magiſtrate at *Twenty Shillings* each; I muſt, in my turn, tell him, that he is miſtaken; I did aſſert that the Coſt was but *Six Shillings* and *Nine-pence*, or *Seven Shillings* and *Three-pence*, unleſs the Matter was conteſted, and even then rarely exceeded *Twenty Shillings*.

A Gentleman of my Acquaintance has furniſhed me with the Coſts of fourteen ſeparate Actions, that were brought in a County Court, and the Coſts taxed, where the Debts were between *Six* and *Ten Pounds*, and he aſſures me that the Parties never diſputed any of the Debts, but that the Coſts accrued upon the common Courſe of proceeding, and that no Execution Fees were added.

One Debt	£ 6	15	0	Coſts	£ 6	16	6
Ditto	7	1	7	Ditto	5	9	0
Ditto	6	5	9	Ditto	6	15	6
Ditto	6	18	11	Ditto	7	16	0
Ditto	8	0	0	Ditto	5	18	0
Ditto	8	9	2	Ditto	10	18	0
Ditto	9	17	10	Ditto	6	14	6
Ditto	6	15	0	Ditto	5	19	9
Ditto	6	14	6	Ditto	5	12	0
Ditto	6	19	0	Ditto	6	3	3
Ditto	6	1	2	Ditto	5	14	11
Ditto	7	0	5	Ditto	5	6	5
Ditto	9	14	8	Ditto	7	19	2
Ditto	8	15	2	Ditto	4	19	0
	£ 105	8	2		£ 92	2	0

From which it appears that the Coſts on each of theſe Actions, on an Average, is *Six Pounds, Eleven Shillings and Six-pence*, beſides Execution Fees, and perhaps, if the Debts had been diſputed, would have been twice that Sum, and reckoning Ninety Actions in the County of Burlington, yearly, before Juſtices of the Peace, where the Debt is from *Six* to *Ten Pounds*, which Proportion, agreeable to the Sinking-fund Tax, and there will be about Eight Hundred in the Province yearly.

Now I will ſuppoſe there are Half as many (*to wit* 400) Actions brought into the County Courts, as there were before Juſtices of the Peace, where the Debts are from *Six* to *Ten Pounds*, which rate, at £ 6 11 6 each, is - - -	£ 2630 0 0
To which I will add the Loſs of Time and Expences of two Men and their Horſes two Days upon each Action, and living in a Tavern, will coſt 5*s.* per Day for each Man and Horſe, - -	800 0 0
	£ 3430 0 0

Allowing 800 Actions in the Province yearly, before Juſtices of the Peace, where the Debts are from *Six* to *Ten Pounds*, which rate at 7*s.* each, £ 280 0 0

To which add the Loſs of Time of two Men and their Horſes, Half a Day, upon each Action, at 2*s.* 6*d.* per Half Day, for Man and Horſe, - 100 0 0

£ 380 0 0

Annual Gain to the Province by the *Ten Pounds* Law, - - - - - £ 3050 0 0

The *Ten Pounds* Act, for wiſe and good Purpoſes, forbids Juſtices of the Peace holding their Courts at a Tavern, ſince which I am informed, it is not often that any, but the Parties concerned, at a Trial before a Magiſtrate, attend.

I did aſſert that there had not been one Appeal in *Burlington* County, under the *Ten Pounds* Act, to my Knowledge, and now I do declare, that from the utmoſt Enquiry, I cannot find that there has been one.---Mr. *S. T.* declares there have been many Appeals from Magiſtrates Judgments, given by Virtue of the *Ten Pounds* Act, in the County of *Burlington*, which I do abſolutely deny.---The Gentleman may publiſh as many elaborate Performances as he thinks proper, againſt our late *Ten Pounds* Act, but until he convinces the Public, that it would be more for the Advantage of the Community, in general, that Debts from *Six* to *Ten Pounds* ſhould be recovered before the Courts of Common Pleas, than before a Juſtice of the Peace, I ſhall take no farther Notice of his Publications.

I candidly confeſs that I was under a Miſtake, when I inſinuated, that there was no Law now in Force in the Province, that authorized Juſtices of the Peace to determine an Action of Debt----It was ever my Principle, that when I committed an Error, to acknowledge it. AN INDEPENDENT FREEHOLDER.

Nottingham, in New-Jerſey, November 21, 1771.

The MEMBERS of the
St. ANDREW's SOCIETY.

ARE deſired to attend their Anniverſary Meeting at the Houſe of Thomas Mullen, at the Tun, in Water-ſtreet, on Saturday next, the 30th of this inſtant November, at Six o'Clock in the Evening. ROBERT WILSON, Secretary.

THIS Evening, the 28th Inſtant, at ſix o'Clock, at the London Coffee-Houſe, will be ſold by public Vendue, the Houſe in which Captain George Noarth lately lived, on the Weſt Side of Front-ſtreet, and near to Arch-ſtreet, having the Privilege of an Alley into Arch-ſtreet; together with the Lot on which ſaid Houſe is built, being 17 Feet 6 Inches wide on Front-ſtreet, and 79 Feet deep, more or leſs, with a Moiety of a Well and Pump in the Yard, on the Diviſion Line between this and the next adjoining Lot; ſubject to a yearly Rent of Six Pounds Currency. Any Perſon deſirous of viewing the Premiſes, may apply to Jonathan Smith, or Stephen Watts, Eſq; - I W.

TO BE LETT,

A NEW convenient three ſtory BRICK HOUSE, and two ſtory kitchen, pleaſantly ſituated on the north ſide of Vine-ſtreet, between Second and Front-ſtreets. Enquire of
JOHN DRINKER,
two doors above the Baptiſt Meeting-houſe, where he has for ſale (imported in ſome of the lateſt veſſels from London, Briſtol and Hull) a variety of European and India GOODS, ſuitable for the ſeaſon, which he will ſell on the moſt reaſonable terms.

By PERMISSION, and particular DESIRE,
For the BENEFIT of Mr. JOHN M'LEAN
(Inſtructor of the German Flute)
WILL be performed, at the Aſſembly-Room, in Lodge-Alley,
A CONCERT of MUSIC,
VOCAL and INSTRUMENTAL:
To begin preciſely at Six o'Clock in the Evening,
On THURSDAY, the Fifth of DECEMBER.

THE CONCERT will conſiſt of two Acts, commencing and ending with favourite Overtures, performed by a full Band of Muſic, with Trumpets, Kettle Drums, and every Inſtrument that can be introduced with Propriety. The Performance will be interſperſed with the moſt pleaſing and ſelect Pieces compoſed by approved Authors; a Solo will be played on the German Flute, by John M'Lean, and the whole will conclude with an Overture, compoſed (for the Occaſion) by Philip Roth, Maſter of the Band, belonging to his Majeſty's Royal Regiment of North Britiſh Fuſileers. Several Gentlemen, who wiſh to encourage and reward Merit, have ſuggeſted this public Amuſement, and have deigned to honour with their Protection the Perſon for whoſe Benefit it is intended; one Inſtance of their condeſcending Goodneſs, he will ever gratefully acknowledge, in conſenting it ſhould be known, they have been pleaſed to offer their Aſſiſtance in the Performance, which every poſſible Means will be uſed to render agreeable and entertaining to the Company, for whoſe further Satisfaction, it is alſo propoſed, that after the Concert there ſhould be a Ball; on this Account the Muſic will begin early; and as ſoon as the 2d Act is finiſhed, the uſual Arrangement will be made for dancing.

N. B. The TICKETS for the Concert may be had at the different Printing-Offices in this City, at the Bar of the Coffee-Houſe, and at Meſſieurs Duff and Jacobs's Taverns, in Second and Third-ſtreets. Price 7*s*6. ‖ 61.

Cheſter, November 19, 1771.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, on Monday, the 16th day of December next, at 10 *o'clock in the morning, will be expoſed to ſale by public vendue, on the premiſes, a certain meſſuage or tenement, water corn-mill or griſt-mill, and tract of about* 22 *acres of land, ſituate in Sadſbury townſhip, Cheſter county, bounded by lands of William Foſter, John Simrall, and others.---Alſo at the ſame time and place will be ſold, a horſe and cart, cows, and ſundry houſhold furniture; all late the property of James Simrall, ſeized and taken in execution by* JESSE MARIS, *Sheriff.* §

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to ſale by public vendue, on Tueſday, the 17th day of December, at the houſe of Samuel Morton, in Eaſt-Nottingham, Cheſter county, at two o'clock in the afternoon, a certain meſſuage, plantation and tract or parcel of land thereunto belonging, containing 40 *acres, be it more or leſs, ſituate in the townſhip of Weſt-Nottingham, in the ſaid county, bounded by lands of James Evans, Samuel Ewing, William Rowland, and others; late the property of Martha M'Kee, ſeized and taken in execution by my predeceſſor John Morton, Eſq; late Sheriff of the ſaid county, and to be ſold by*
†
JESSE MARIS, *Sheriff.*

BENJAMIN DAVIES,

HAS for ſale, at the Sign of the HAND-SAW, in Third-ſtreet, the following Merchandize, by *wholeſale and retail*, viz. 3d. 4d. 6d. 8d. 10d. 12d. and 20d. nails; a variety of ſprigs, tacks and clout nails; round and flat head ſcrews; bright bolts, of various ſizes; bright and black augers; paring chizzels, turning ditto and gouges, plain irons, center and brace bitts, 14, 13, 12, 11, 10, 9, 8, 7, and 6 inch files, clock-maker's and ſilverſmith's ditto, of ſeveral ſizes, ſhoemakers, horſe ſhoeing and wood raſps, hand and tenant ſaw files, H and HL hinges, cheſt ditto, table and deſk ditto, braſs nob, braſs ring, rim, thumb, ſtock, cupboard, cheſt, drawer and deſk locks, braſs chamber ditto, black padlocks, ſecret baglocks, braſs nob and thumb latches, table catches, three wheeled braſs caſtors, braſs buttons, cloak pins, lock beer-cocks, gimblets and ſprigging awls, common, poliſhed, and braſs head ſhovels and tongs, bellows, coopers compaſſes, common iron ditto, a variety of table knives and forks, butchers ſteels, knitting pins, 2 feet ſteel-joint rules, 9 inch, 2 feet 4 folded, and Gunter's ſliding ditto, ſhoemakers ſizeſticks, gold ſcales and weights, ſaw-mill, pit, croſs-cut, common and ſteel-plate hand-ſaws, carpenters bright and black hammers, ſhoemakers common and crooked knives, common and cramping hammers, awl blades and hafts, ſhoe tacks, machine wax, black ball, bones and ſticks, Ben-leather ſoals, braſs and iron candleſticks, curry combs, plated ſpurs, bridle bitts, ſtirrup irons, buckles, webbs, fringe, orris, and other ſadlery ware, ſadler's tools, braſs harneſs-furniture, pluſhes, broadcloths, naps, ſwanſkin, ozenbrigs, white calf-ſkins, red and white ſheepſkins, red Morocco leather, Scotch and rag ſtones, &c. Likewiſe a few barrels of pippen apples.

To be SOLD *at* PUBLIC VENDUE, *at the* London Coffee-Houſe, *on* Fifth Day, *the Nineteenth of* December, *at Six o' Clock in the Evening*,

A LARGE and very convenient *dwelling houſe*, with good back buildings, ſituated on the eaſt-ſide of Water-ſtreet, between Race and Arch-ſtreets, in Philadelphia, now in the tenure of John Rhea, with the *wharff and commodious ſtores*, thereon lately erected. The houſe is 30 feet in front on Water-ſtreet, 3 ſtories high, with 4 rooms on a floor, and has lately been put into complete repair. The lot extends the uſual depth into the river, on which it has a front of 50 feet, and is bounded ſouthward by a public alley or cart-way, leading from Water-ſtreet into the river, and northward by grounds of Richard Waln and Abel James. The whole is ſubject to a groundrent of *Five Pounds Sterling per Annum*, and to be ſold in purſuance of the laſt will of JOHN SMITH, late of Burlington, deceaſed, by
WILLIAM DILLWYN, WILLIAM L. SMITH, and
JOSEPH SMITH, Executors.

Alſo to be SOLD at private ſale by the ſaid Executors, *A ſmall plantation*, on which is a neat dwelling-houſe, ſtore, pork-houſe, &c. ſituate in the townſhip of Springfield, in the county of Burlington, Weſt-Jerſey, where great quantities of pork being raiſed, a trader might be advantageouſly ſeated, it being in a healthy pleaſant country and in a good neighbourhood.

Philadelphia, November 22, 1771.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to ſale, on Tueſday, the 10th of December next, at 6 o'clock in the evening, at the London Coffee-houſe, a certain two ſtory frame tenement and lot of ground, ſituate on the eaſt ſide of Front-ſtreet, in the diſtrict of Southwark, containing in breadth, on Front-ſtreet, 75 feet, and extending in depth, along Almond-ſtreet, about 20 feet. And, a certain other lot of ground, ſituate on the eaſt ſide of Front-ſtreet aforeſaid, containing in breadth 18 feet, or thereabouts, and in depth about 150 feet, having two ſmall tenements and a cooper's ſhop erected thereon; the latter of the ſaid lots is ſubject to a groundrent of Seven Pounds, Pennſylvania currency, per annum; late the eſtate of John Reading, ſeized and taken in execution by JUDAH FOULKE, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Wedneſday, the 11th of December next, at 6 o'clock in the evening, at the London Coffee-houſe, a certain lot or piece of ground, ſituate in the city of Philadelphia, containing in breadth, on the weſt ſide of Fourth-ſtreet, 80 feet, and in length or depth, on the ſouth ſide of Spruce-ſtreet, 102 feet, bounded by ſaid Fourth and Spruce-ſtreets, and by ground late of Mordecai Yarnall, and others; late the eſtate of John Chandler, ſeized and taken in execution by
JUDAH FOULKE, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to ſale, on Thurſday, the 12th of December next, at 6 o'clock in the evening, at the London Coffee-houſe, a certain tract or piece of land, ſituate in the Northern Liberties of the city of Philadelphia, containing about 25 acres, ſhould the ſame be more or leſs, bounded by lands of Richard Fewes, and others; late the eſtate of John Reed, ſeized and taken in execution by
JUDAH FOULKE, Sheriff.

BY virtue of ſeveral writs to me directed, will be expoſed to ſale, on Saturday, the 14th of December next, at ſix o'clock in the evening, at the London Coffee-houſe, two certain meſſuages and lot of ground, ſituate on the eaſt ſide of Swanſon-ſtreet, containing in breadth 43 feet 4 inches, and extending into the river Delaware, as far as the adjacent water lots, bounded by ſaid Swanſon-ſtreet, and by other ground of Zachariah Nieman; and four meſſuages or tenements, and lot of ground, ſituate in the townſhip of Moyamenſing, containing in breadth north and ſouth, at the weſt end thereof, 29 feet 10 inches, and at the eaſt end 22 feet 11 inches, and extending in depth from Front-ſtreet to Swanſon-ſtreet, bounded by Front and Swanſon-ſtreets aforeſaid, and by ground late of Daniel Dewar, and Anthony Duche and wife; ſubject to a groundrent of 7*l.* 17*s.* per annum.----A certain meſſuage or tenement and lot or piece of ground, ſituate on the weſt ſide of Swanſon-ſtreet, in the diſtrict of Southwark, containing in breadth, on the ſouth ſide thereof, 76 feet 2 inches, and on the north ſide thereof, 71 feet 10 inches, bounded by Swanſon ſtreet aforeſaid, and by ground of James Wells and Charles Woolfall.---And a certain other piece of ground, ſituate in the diſtrict of Southwark aforeſaid, containing in breadth, on Swanſon-ſtreet, 50 feet, and extending in depth the ſame breadth, as far as low-water mark, in the river Delaware, bounded eaſtward by ſaid river at low-water mark, ſouthward by ground of John Stevens, weſtward by Swanſon-ſtreet aforeſaid, and northward by Margaret Davids's ground; late the eſtate of Zachariah Nieman, ſeized and taken in execution by
JUDAH FOULKE, Sheriff.

[*For more new* ADVERTISEMENTS *ſee the fourth Page.*]

By Captain LYDE, *arrived at Boston from London; and the September* PACKET, *from Falmouth, arrived at New-York, we have the following Intelligence.*

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 3.

WE have advice, that Ali Bey having recalled his army from Syria to Egypt, to attack a competitor who had risen up against him, the Ottoman Troops had taken the advantage of this circumstance to attack him in his retreat, and that they entirely defeated him in a battle, in which Chiek Daher was wounded. By accounts received by a vessel from Paros to Smyrna, Count Orlow arrived there the 10th ult. with two ships, and six frigates. Some say he is preparing to make an expedition to Candia; others that he intends to try a new enterprise in the Morea. It is not without much uneasiness, that this Admiral was seen before Smyrna. The plague only can defend this city from the Russians, who will not like penetrating it as long as that disorder, which daily increases, continues within the walls. All the foreign Consuls are obliged to retire to the country. Cara Osman Oglow, Governor of this city, and Kan Cioban Oglow, live in tents, to preserve them from the contagion. It is remarkable, that the plague makes more progress among the Turks and Jews than among the Greeks. Every family is ordered to bury their own dead, and if any one dies without relations or friends, his neighbours are to bury him.

The 22d of last month M. Thugut, Resident from the Court of Vienna, having been invited to come to the Porte, that Minister went there with his interpreter, and had a very long conference with the Kaimacan, or Vice Visir, and the Reis Effendi, in the presence of the Grand Signor's Interpreter. Since which time the Minister of their Imperial and Royal Majesties, and that of the Court of Berlin, have several times represented to the principal members of the government, that in order to extricate the Porte from her present critical state, and to avoid greater losses, it was necessary for her to accept without further delay the conditions of peace, which had been offered to her, by their respective courts, in quality of mediators. The effect which these representations may have produced, the public is at present ignorant of; but it has been remarked, that this week hath been employed in taking out of the Treasury of the Sultan sums of money, to the value of many millions of piasters, which hath been sent to the army of the Grand Visir. The Ministers of the Courts of Vienna and Berlin, are also making preparations to set out on a journey; from which it is conjectured, that probably their intention is to repair to the camp of the Grand Visir, to conclude the peace there.

Warsaw, Sept. 4. *Some letters received from the Danube, inform us of the capture of Ockzakow by the Russians; but advices of such importance should come better confirmed, before we can give absolute credit to them.*

LONDON.

Sept. 17. Our illustrious Queen sets a glorious example to her court, by wearing silks of the manufacture of this country.

It is said that Dudley will be prosecuted by the Ministry for a defraud (if he fails in his assertion) as they can prove he has obtained money from them under false pretences.

Letters from Vienna mention, that all the frontier towns of the Empire are ordered to be surveyed and fortified, and to be well supplied with magazines and warlike stores.

A Writer in one of this Morning's Papers positively says. "The most effectual measures are resolved upon to retrieve the very ruinous situation of the East India Company's affairs. The 400,000 l. to government is to be, for the present, struck off by consent; and the dividend to the Proprietors is to be reduced six per cent. The Parliament is to meet in November, to enquire into the right of the Company to a territorial revenue, and to examine into the management of their servants abroad. Three Supervisors are to be sent by parliamentary authority to regulate the affairs of the East; and coercive laws are to be made to restrain the avarice, and punish the crimes of individuals, both in the Government's and the Company's service in the East-Indies. These are facts on which the Public may depend.

It is positively asserted, that the Ministry are determined not to interfere in the least on the approaching election for Lord Mayor; and are perfectly indifferent on whom the choice may fall.

Extract of a Letter Berlin, September 7.

"I am sorry that I can transmit no agreeable accounts to you of the progress of the negociations of peace between Russia and the Porte. I am told, that the Court of Vienna does not at all relish the project of the Court of Petersburgh, for rendering the Crim independent of the Porte for the future, and that they have made strong representations to the Czarina against such an independency. What view they may have in this, or how far it may be their interest that the Crim should remain under the power and influence of the Turks, I confess I have not penetration enough to discover. The King of Prussia is far from their way of thinking, and has refused to join with them in remonstrating to the Empress of Russia against that measure. In the mean while, this difference of opinion retards the negociation'"

The virulent and unjust abuse daily propagated against the public and private character of a Great Personage, calls to mind what a celebrated female historian is said to have thrown out in a company of Republicans, who were treating the Royal character with great freedom and levity: "I am (said she) as much for a Republic as any of you; but whilst you have a *King*, treat him as a Gentleman."

The late Mr. Pelham, as able and as honest a minister as any this country has been blest with, was once solicited by a hackney-writer of better parts than principles to engage his pen in defence of the King and his Administration, but declining to give the least encouragement, the man retired, muttering, that he would draw his pen against them; when Mr. Pelham, with becoming dignity, said, "You may write against me as much as you please, but depend upon it, that my gracious Master's character shall not be traduced with impunity."

Extract of a Letter from Chatham, Sept. 15.

"All our docks and slips are full, in building and repairing ships at this port."

Sept. 18. A lady from Pennsylvania has finished a curious picture of the King in needle-work, which was presented by her to his Majesty a few days since.

A gentleman of fortune, famous for his mechanical abilities, has lately presented his Majesty with a cane, in the head of which is contained a watch that will go 21 days without winding.

Sept. 19. On Saturday night the man who was sent down to make a discovery of the persons concerned in setting Portsmouth dock on fire, was brought back to town; his information, it is said, amounts to nothing; and he is now in custody of a messenger in Pall-Mall.

Lord Chatham's patriotic spirit is, of late, very much abated; what skilful physicians have been employed, or what ingredients they have administered for that purpose, is at present a profound secret; but it is imagined the same experiment will be tried on other gentlemen before much time is elapsed.

A correspondent from Paris informs us, that the King has been heard to say something to the following effect: "I know it is thought by the generality of people in my own dominions, as well as those in the neighbouring kingdoms, that I am more addicted to indolence than any of my predecessors; but I will strike a stroke soon that shall astonish my enemies, and make them tremble, and also immortalize my name in the annals of France.

By an officer lately arrived in the Endeavour bark, we are informed, that on the day they sailed from the Cape of Good Hope, there arrived in that port three French ships of the line, bound to the Isle of France; they had each on board 700 land forces, besides their complement of seamen; and by advices from the Mauritius, they had then 12 sail of the line ready to go to sea, full manned: Besides this, their fortifications were all in repair, and a good fort and establishment on the island of Madagascar, which in a future war will be of the utmost consequence to all the East India Company's trade. At the same time lay at the Cape a frigate and 4 large ships, loading with provisions.

Sept. 20. The public may be assured, that the Ministry are in actual possession of *other information* respecting the conflagration of Portsmouth dock, than what has been given them either by *Dudley* or *Britain*; and that the said information will be scrupulously discussed at the meeting of the Parliament, when some great men will be called to account for their *wilful* negligence in suffering not only Count de Guignes, but some *other persons*, employed by the French Court, to withdraw themselves from this kingdom subsequent to such information.

Yesterday there was a private Board of Admiralty, at which it is said Dudley was examined.

The Earl of Bute was yesterday at St. James's, and assisted at the Council.

Alderman Halifax attends almost every court day at St. James's (to receive, it is supposed, instructions from the Ministry.) On Tuesday last he conversed for some time with Lord Bute, Lord North, &c. in the lobby. He was also at Court yesterday. The alderman is also frequently at the Secretary of State's office.

It is imagined there will be a party flame kindled at the ensuing meeting of the Irish Parliament; but the ministerial party, it is expected, will vanquish their opponents; and to enable them so to do, it was a concerted scheme not to have the English Parliament meet at the same time, that if occasion was, assistance might the more easily be rendered to the ministerial Hibernians.

We are told that Orders are issued from the War Office for all the Officers belonging to the Artillery Companies at Portsmouth and Plymouth, to join their respective Corps with all Expedition.

The Orders issued for compleating all the Regiments of Foot and Cavalry, both on the English and Irish Establishments, have no very pacific Appearance.

The States General have ordered all their barrier towns to be garrisoned, and put in a posture of defence.

A person lately arrived from Madrid says, that the King of Spain is taking the most effectual method to increase his marine, and that the Spaniards, in case of a war, will become more formidable than they have for some time appeared.

A person lately arrived from Cadiz, informs, that no less than five vessels, laden with troops and ammunition, have sailed from thence within these two months for the Spanish settlements.

A master of a vessel lately arrived from the West-Indies says, he spoke with nine sail of Spanish men of war, and that the Commodore hoisted out his boat and boarded him, and asked him if he knew what men of war were at Jamaica, to which he answered in the negative. They behaved very civilly.

By a Dutch ship that is arrived off Dover, from Denia, we have advice, that the Spaniards have ten ships of the line, four frigates, and several storeships, lying in the harbours there, all ready to sail at a few hours notice; and a Regiment of Soldiers daily exercising, which are to be embarked as soon as orders come for their sailing. The Captain further says, that they will not admit an English ship into their harbours.

A report prevails at the west end of the town, that the Court of Spain have, by a new treaty, guarantied to France all her settlements in New-Orleans, on the American continent, for ever.

Sept. 21. A great officer of state, on a particular disgust (said to be relative to some proceedings respecting the enquiries about the firing of the dock-yard at Portsmouth) refused to attend the last council for some time; and did not acquiesce at last, till he had received the positive commands of his master.

Lord Rochford is certainly become the greatest favourite of his master of all the *ostensible* ministers; and, indeed, if his Lordship's assiduity (his attention to business being singularly indefatigable) was employed on matters for the general good, he would deservedly stand the first in public, as well as sovereign favour.

An enquiry is making after the person who made the die, by which several halfpence have been struck, having Britannia on the one side, and on the other an head, with an hatchet over it.

A Board of Admiralty was held yesterday, at the breaking up of which expresses were sent to the Commissioners of the several dock yards of Portsmouth, Plymouth, Chatham, and Sheerness.

The King of Spain has of late, through his Ambassador at this Court, we are assured, been very profuse in his professions to our Court, of his sincere intentions of promoting tranquility and good understanding between the two crowns. This so pleased his M-----y, that he desired his consent to make Prince Mazarino's lady a present of some curious birds, which was done. But for all this courteous behaviour, his Catholic Majesty's sole intention is to allure our Ministry, by these kinds of bait, till opportunity enables him to throw off his mask with security.

It is again strongly reported that a change in the law department will take place before the first of Michaelmas term next.

We are informed that the present Lord Mayor's friends have canvassed for him the wards of Farringdon and Cheap, without receiving a single denial; and that the like success has attended the Shelburnite candidates in Billingsgate ward.

A Correspondent informs us, that it has been whispered in several great Companies at the West End of the Town, the celebrated JUNIUS is employed in writing an History of King George the Third.

In the course of next week a Privy Council will be summoned to meet at St. James's, when it will be then finally determined, whether the Parliament will meet for the dispatch of business before Christmas, or be further prorogued to January next.

A Correspondent assures us he has received letters from Spain, which mention, that it is a general talk there, that the whole force of the Court of Madrid will shortly be employed against the Russians; if so, it is impossible that England can long preserve her neutrality.

We hear from Plymouth, that six sail of large ships, supposed to be French Men of War, passed by in the night of the 15th of this Month.

The accounts from the second Russian army say, that after the conquest of the Crimea, a great part of Circassia has submitted to the Russians, insomuch that the Russians are entirely masters of the navigation in the Black Sea, and in the Propontis, from Azoff down even to Constantinople, and on the eastward to the mouth of the Danube.

We hear a Great Personage has signified that he will not admit the Sheriffs Elect into his Presence, but will always appoint a Proxy to receive them.

By the Ship CRAWFORD, *Captain* SMITH, *arrived here from* Cowes, *and Captain* MILLER, *from* London, *arrived at* New-York, *we have these further Particulars.*

PARIS, September 13.

ON the 4th of this month the Parliament of Bourdeaux was suppressed, and a new one created.

About the same time the old Parliament of Toulouse was dissolved, and 55 of its Members sent into banishment. Their seats are replaced by new ones.

Cadiz, August 28. *A letter received from Mogador (in the kingdom of Morocco) dated the 9th of June, gives the following detail. A man, who pretended to be inspired, entered the city of Morocco, at the head of about 6000 Fanatics, armed with clubs, who killed, and pillaged the houses of the Jews, and those of some of the richest Moors. The populace were beginning to join them, in the name of the Holy Prophet; but the principal inhabitants repairing to the palace of the Emperor, to demand his succour, that Monarch finding them so numerous, thought proper to temporize, being fearful, if he attempted force against them at first, he should hazzard a general revolt; and taking advantage of a short calm among them, after their first outrages, the Emperor informed the people, that the person at the head of the band could never be inspired from heaven, as nothing had been done by him or his followers but the greatest acts of cruelty and rapine. In the mean time he caused the revolters to be surrounded by his troops; many of the least criminal were suffered to escape, some others were seized, and the ringleader was put to death. Some troops have since been sent into the provinces, to calm the sedition which had been first raised there.*

Vienna, Sept. 7. All the troops which form the camp at Pest in Hungary, will decamp about the 16th instant. A detachment of 20,000 of them is to be sent to reinforce the line of troops upon the frontiers of Poland.

Leghorn, Sept. 4. Yesterday an English packet arrived here with two Russian frigates from Paros. They brought letters, dated the 1st of August, by which we find that the Admirals Spiritoff and Aff were at the said island, as likewise Count Orlow, who was returned thither, without meeting the Turkish fleet, which is not yet sailed out of the Dardanelles. Thus the accounts we had some time ago of a sea fight in the haven of Modron, are not confirmed.

Hague, Sept 19. *His Excellency Prince Gallitzin, Envoy Extraordinary from the Empress of Russia to their High Mightinesses, hath received the following news from Petersburgh, dated the 28th ult.*

"*The son of Prince Dolgorucki is arrived here with the detail of the conquest of the Crimea, and at the same time brings advice, that the whole Tartar nation of that peninsula, after having signed the act of submission, and taken the oaths, had proceeded to the election of a new Chan, and that the choice had fallen on the brother of Selim-Guirey the former Chan, who had been named Caica-Chan, and his nephew Nouradin-Chan. Their deputies are hourly expected here. The old Chan, Selim-Guirey, who had sent his deputies with a letter to the Commandant General, offering to send one or two of his sons as hostages to Petersburgh, changed his mind all of a sudden, and embarked with his effects for Romelia, without waiting for the General's answer. The true motive of this sudden alteration in him is not yet known: Some attribute it to his dread and apprehensions of our troops, on their approaching Barczisaray; others say, that he hath taken this step, in order to save his great possessions in the dominions of the Grand Signor.*"

Venice, August 31. *Many letters confirm the destruction of the Turkish fleet, near the Isle of Lemnos, by the Russians, who, it is expected, will soon be masters of that Island.*

Recent advices import, that the Russians have at length passed the Danube in two bodies, one of 80,000 men, and the other of 40,000. If this should be confirmed, we may soon expect to hear of a bloody battle between them and the army of the Grand Vizir.

Bastia, Sept. 2. *The Count de Marbeuf's baggage is taken by the banditti, who have lately burnt in the Pieve of Nicolo fourscore thousand dozen of planks, belonging to the French, the meer cutting of which had cost upwards of 40,000 livres. For this reason, all the felling of timber is suspended for the present.*

Paris, Sept. 16. *They write from Bourdeaux, that the Marshal de Richelieu, before his arrival there, had sent three lettres de cachet, one for the First President of the Parliament, the second for the Attorney-General, and the third for one of the Advocates-General, banishing them to different places.*

Copenhagen, Sept. 14. *The rainy weather continues with hardly any intermission, and it is feared the badness of the harvest will raise the prices of provisions to a very great height.*

Berlin, Sept. 14. *The King of Prussia remains, in perfect health, at Potzdam. Last Thursday his Majesty went to see a part of the corps of artillery perform their exercises at Gross Glinicke (a village south-west of Spandau, about a German mile from Potzdam, and one and an half from this city) where some works are thrown up, and two companies encamp at a time, which are daily relieved by two other companies from hence; where, for these three years past, the whole corps of artillery, making about 6000 men, have been in garrison, barracks having been built for that purpose. His Prussian Majesty was extremely well pleased with their method of firing, &c. and after dining with Lieutenant-General Deskow, who commands the artillery, his Majesty returned to Potzdam.*

Gloucester, Sept. 23. We hear that the wheat and barley are now pretty well secured; and we are assured from every part of the country, that the crops are remarkably fine. Even the farmers themselves allow they have not known a more plentiful harvest for many years. Our accounts from Devonshire, Dorsetshire, and all the west, are equally pleasing.

LONDON, September 23.

Lord Holland's accounts are at length finally adjusted; and his Lordship stays in town this winter for no other purpose than laying them before the inspection of the public.

Extract of a Letter from the Hague, Sept. 17.

"*According to the last accounts from Vienna, an express lately arrived there from Petersbourg, with dispatches of such consequence as to occasion three successive Councils to consider of them. From hence it is presumed, that this express brought a final answer of the Court of Russia, with respect to the measures proposed for restoring peace between that Empire and the Turks.*"

The Russian and Prussian Ambassadors have of late held several private conferences, which causes various speculations among the politicians.

The Queen is so exceedingly fond of her children, that she spends very little time out of their company; and his Majesty, we are assured, lately told her, it would be difficult to determine, whether she was most expert in the duties of a tutor or a nurse.

Some grave persons seem to assert, that the affair between Britain and Dudley is all a solemn farce, a ridiculous scene of ministerial mummery; the former's jaunting about with a messenger, nothing but mere parade, to save appearances, and permitting him to publish, on purpose to lay a foundation for a fresh attack on the liberty of the press, which is to be begun the next sessions, under the direction of Cocking George.

It is currently reported that the Grand Signor has applied to the King of Spain for assistance, upon such very advantageous terms, that it is thought he will openly join him against the Russians in a very short space.

Orders were dispatched on Saturday to the several dock yards and sea ports on the coast, to levy 6000 seamen with all speed for a secret expedition.

It is said that six sail of the line will shortly be fitted out, and compleatly manned, the command of which will be given to an experienced officer, but their destination is as yet a secret.

Advice is certainly received, that the French have erected eight different forts and settlements in the East-Indies, in open defiance of the treaties subsisting between them and our court.

A dangerous insurrection, with intent to cut off the King of the Two Sicilies, has lately happened at Palermo, in Italy, where that monarch resided; this is looked on as a very serious affair by the Spanish Court, and will, in all likelihood, divert their attention for some time, to the domestic satisfaction of the European powers.

As Alderman Bridgen has declined standing candidate for the Mayoralty, Alderman Trecothick (as we are informed) will be nominated by the Livery to that important office.

Sept. 24. *We can now with some authority assure the public, that the Parliament will not meet till after Christmas.*

We are informed, that a few days ago, the Earl of Rochford had a long conference with the Spanish Ambassador, in reference to the great naval armaments now making in all the ports of that kingdom, in times of profound peace, who assured his Lordship, that the King his master had no intention of committing acts of hostility against any Christian Power whatever, and that their chief intention was, to chastise the piratical states of Barbary, who had lately made several capital prizes on the Spanish coasts.

It is reported that the King of Prussia has lately sent a memorial to the Court of Madrid, requiring a categorical answer as to the great warlike preparations making in the Spanish dominions; and whether his most Catholic Majesty intends to oppose the treaty now on foot for putting an end to the destructive war between the Turks and Russians?

On Thursday last a pair of very beautiful birds, which were brought from King George's Island, in the South Sea, were made a present to her Majesty, by one Mr. Herwey; they are of a bright green colour, curiously variegated with yellow and brown, with red beaks and feet; and are about the size of a dove. They were sent on Friday to Richmond.

A certain Nobleman (Lord H.) has no less than eight mistresses in one house near St. James's.

Extract of a letter from Rome, August 31.

"The Chevalier de St. George, I told you in my last, was at Pisa; from thence he moved to Sienna, another town likewise in the Tuscan state, where he used every morning to take an airing in his coach, attended by some gentlemen, servants, &c. Being out one morning, as usual, he got suddenly out of his coach, bid two favourite servants follow him, and the rest to return to Sienna; he had a private carriage in waiting, and went on directly two or three posts, the names of the towns I have forgot: From one of those places he wrote to the gentlemen, his attendants, at Sienna, ordering them to return with all speed to Rome; this letter was brought by one of the servants he took with him, who, when asked where his master was, answered, he knew nothing of him. They all accordingly came back to Rome directly; and as

soon as they arrived waited on Cardinal York, who, it is said, did not seem in the leaſt ſurpriſed at the news. We abound here in variety of conjectures about this event; ſome ſay he is gone to Berlin, others to Moſcow, and others to Vienna."

Extract of a Letter from Portſmouth, Sept. 22.

"One of our great docks is compleated, and his Majeſty's ſhip Terrible is now in that dock under repair; the other dock will be finiſhed in a little time.

"We are going to make two more ſlips on the new ground, and when finiſhed to lay the keels of two ſhips of the line; we ſhall then be able to put nine ſhips of the line on the ſtocks at a time.

"On Saturday a large party of marines ſat off from this port for Ireland, in order to recruit in the country."

A correſpondent tells us, that Mr. Alderman Naſh, who offers himſelf a candidate for the office of Lord Mayor, is generally reckoned the moſt extenſive tradeſman in the world; his returns are prodigious, and his intereſt is ſo conſiderable, that his election would be deemed a certainty, did his friends conſider the chair an object really worth the attention of a reſpectable Citizen, in theſe troubleſome times of party animoſity.

The efforts of the Miniſtry to influence the elections of the City having been ſo diſgracefully unſucceſsful, we are told, that a ſequence of two advertiſements inſerted in the papers, in order to conſider of proper perſons to be returned to the Court of Aldermen for the office of Lord Mayor for the year enſuing. Mr. Deputy Cockſedge was called to the chair, and after ſome management by the friends of Mr. Wilkes, to prevent joining Meſſ. Townſend and Sawbridge together, each of the Aldermen who had been named were ſeparately propoſed, and upon the diviſions there were the following numbers:

	for	*againſt*
Lord Mayor	131	51
Townſend	111	97
Sawbridge	153	59

There were about eight hands held up for Mr. Bridgen. The number of Liverymen who attended amounted to about 212, amongſt whom were a very conſiderable part of the ſtaunch friends and partizans of Mr. Wilkes.

Sept. 26. *We hear from Plymouth, that a French frigate has been cruizing off the Ram-head for this week paſt, and that ſhe ſtands in for land at dark, and diſappears at day-break.*

Advice is received, that there has been a warm diſpute between an Engliſh man of war and a French frigate, in the Mediterranean; the Engliſh Captain demanded the compliment that is uſually paid to his Britannic Majeſty's ſhips, which the Frenchman did not chuſe to comply with, till ſeveral ſhot were fired at him; but the guns were ordered to be pointed in ſuch a manner as they could do no execution. The French Captain declared he ſhould ſend an account home of the affront done the King his maſter.

By the laſt letters from Bengal, dated in February 1771, it appears that part of the world, perfectly ſimilar to their firſt efforts in peopling Mexico.

There is no intention of Lord Clive's being ſent out again to India; nor would his Lordſhip's ſtate of health allow him to cloſe with any propoſal of that kind; therefore the reports relative to his reviſitation of Bengal are totally groundleſs, and nothing but news-paper manufacture, to ſupply a ſcarcity of intelligence.

Sept. 25. *All the foreign Ambaſſadors, we hear, have an invitation to be preſent at the ceremony and entertainment this day at Deptford, every neceſſary preparation being made for that purpoſe. Lord Sandwich will go in the Admiralty Barge from Whitehall about 9 o'clock.*

The ſhip to be launched at Deptford was laid on the ſtocks in the late Premier's reign, after whom ſhe was named. Another will be begun immediately, and to be finiſhed with the greateſt expedition. Great attention is now paid to the repair of the ſhipping in the ſeveral dock-yards, as well as to the building of new ones. Whether any thing is the immediate object of this attention, is at preſent a ſecret.

The two bands of muſic engaged by orders from Lord Sandwich, to attend the ſhip launch at Deptford, are to be there at 11 o'clock, and we are told his Majeſty will be preſent at 12.

Monday evening there was a numerous meeting of Liverymen, in conſequence of two advertiſements inſerted in the papers, in order to conſider of proper perſons to be returned to the Court of Aldermen for the office of Lord Mayor for the year enſuing. Mr. Deputy Cockſedge was called to the chair, and after ſome management by the friends of Mr. Wilkes, to prevent joining Meſſ. Townſend and Sawbridge together, each of the Aldermen who had been named were ſeparately propoſed, and upon the diviſions there were the following numbers:

To be SOLD at private Sale,

A LARGE brick dwelling-house and lot of ground, on the east side of High-street, in the city of Burlington, opposite to the Meeting-house, on one of the highest parts of the street; the house is suited for two tenements, or may be readily converted into one, has three rooms on a floor, with a good kitchen, and a wash-house back, a large yard, into which there is room for a carriage to enter, and sufficient contents for a good garden back, the lot being 46 feet front on the said street, and extends that width half way back to York-street.

Also a lot of ground, with a stable thereon, fronting on the south side of Broad-street, near the Church, containing in width 85 feet and a half, and extending back to Thomas Powell's lot.

Also a tract of timber land, in Hunterdon county, near Rocksteticus Iron-works, containing by the survey thereof 100 acres, adjoining to lands late Isaac Norris's; and a quantity of western proprietary rights to unlocated lands; late the property of Samuel Scattergood, of said city, deceased. Any person inclining to purchase, may view the premises, and be acquainted with the terms, by inquiring of WILLIAM SMITH, or SAMUEL ALLINSON, Executors, in Burlington, who will convey a good title to the same.

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Imported by THOMAS ANDERTON,

and now selling at his Store, between Front and Second-streets, the South Side of Market-street, Philadelphia,

A RICH and large ASSORTMENT of the most elegant, fashionable, useful and ornamental double FLINTGLASS WARES, of every Kind: Besides the common or single FLINTGLASS WARES, of every Sort, and Apothecaries green Glass Phials and Phial Corks; which he will sell at a Price lower than usual, Wholesale and Retail.

Fairfield, Cumberland County, New-Jersey, October 29, 1771.

WHEREAS ELIZABETH, the Wife of RICHARD LORE, hath eloped from her said Husband, and will not live with him, but threatens to run him in Debt; these are to forewarn all Persons from trusting her on his Account, for he will pay no Debts of her contracting from the Date hereof. RICHARD LORE. ¶

SIX POUNDS Reward.

ABSCONDED (or run away) on or about the 28th of October last, from the subscriber, in Bristol township, near Germantown, a Dutch servant man, named George Foell, about 25 years of age, has a young look for his age, about 5 feet 3 inches high, but chunky, fresh coloured, round visage, high forehead, has lately had the ague, has lost his upper fore teeth, one of his eye teeth sticks out more than common, large black eyes, heavy eye-lids, he has dark brown hair, somewhat inclinable to curl; had on an old blue straight bodied coat, made in Dutch country, red lining, much torn, a blue plush half worn jacket, without sleeves, the back of light blue cloth, white lining, half worn sheepskin breeches, light blue ribbed worsted stockings, half worn neats leather shoes, Dutch metal buckles, an almost new felt hat; he came from Alsace, and speaks much on that country dialect, can talk but little English. Whoever apprehends and secures the said servant, so that his master may have him again, shall receive a reward of FOUR POUNDS, if taken in this province; if out of the province SIX POUNDS, and all reasonable charges, paid by PETER CARE.

N. B. As he discovered an inclination to go back to Dutch country, all masters of vessels, and others, are hereby forbid to harbour or carry him off, at their peril. ¶

Salem, November 18, 1771.

TEN POUNDS Reward.

RUN away from the subscribers, the following persons, viz. JOHN COLGAN, an Irishman, about 28 or 30 years of age, dark complexion, black eyes, short black hair, which curls very much, a little pock-marked, about 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, a thick well set fellow, a very remarkable cast with his eyes, sings a good song; took with him a brown broadcloth coat and jacket, leather breeches, a blue surtout coat, and ribbed worsted stockings, his other cloaths uncertain; he has followed school-keeping some time, is fond of company, and apt to get in liquor; he went away about the 28th of June last.

JOHN BARLOW, an Englishman, about 35 years old, about 5 feet 9 inches high, of a sandy complexion, light hair, which he wears tied, thin visaged, with a hooked nose, stoops pretty much when he walks. There went away with him a woman which he calls his wife; a thick short woman, much pock-marked, with a long nose, and red hair; she came from England to Baltimore: They are both fond of liquor, and are apt to quarrel when drunk. He went away about 16 months since.

HOWELL DAWDY, about 26 years of age, about 5 feet 9 inches high, of a sandy complexion, red beard, with a hair mole on the right side of his chin, sandy hair, which he wore tied, thin visaged, he pretends to be a carpenter, is a well made fellow, sings a good song, and is very fond of company; he took with him a light coloured saggathy coat, nankeen jacket and breeches, a pair of leather breeches, an old green lappelled jacket, ribbed worsted hose, marked I. B. on the top of each stocking; it is supposed he stole a light coloured surtout coat; he plays a little on the violin; he went away the 14th of this month, and it is supposed he is gone to the eastward.

Whoever apprehends the above described persons, shall receive the above reward, or FOUR POUNDS for either, from SAMUEL DICK, and CURTIS TRENCHARD.

To be SOLD, or LETT, by the Subscriber,

A PLANTATION, containing 137 acres of good land, situate in West-Caln, and county of Chester; there are about 40 acres cleared, 12 of which is good meadow, the rest is well timbered; there are two good dwelling-houses, a double barn, a cooper's shop, with other out-houses, also a good stone spring-house, over an excellent spring, and a draw well at the kitchen door; there are 300 apple-trees, of the best kind of fruit, 100 of which trees bear plentifully; there is also on said premises a valuable merchant mill, in an excellent wheat country, with two over-shot water-wheels, two pair of good stones, for merchant work, 3 boulting-cloths, a winnowing mill, two screens, also hoisting utensils, of all sorts, the whole to go by water, and every thing fitting to carry on the business of millering, in the best order; there is also on said premises a very good saw-mill, drove by a flutter-wheel, lately repaired, both mills on the west branch of Brandywine, well known to be a large never-failing stream of water; there is also on said premises, two excellent seats for forges, with plenty of fall and water for each, in the driest season; it is likewise well situate for wood, about 9 or 10 miles from both Reading and Warwick furnaces. The whole will be sold together, or divided, as may best suit the purchaser. The purchaser, on paying part of the money down, may have a reasonable time to pay the remainder, without interest. The title is indisputable, and the whole in good repair.

Also to be sold, 100 acres of land, situate in East-Caln, about 4 miles from the above described premises, about one half of which is cleared, the remainder well timbered; the whole well watered; there is a log dwelling-house and barn thereon, about 4 acres of meadow made, and 5 or 6 more may be made, and all well watered, with a large stream. Any person inclining to purchase the whole, or part of the above premises, may view the whole, and know the terms of sale, by applying to the subscriber, living on the first mentioned premises. ANDREW CULBERTSON.

November 27, 1771. ¶ 12s.

NOW in the custody of John Anderson, Goal-keeper, in Newtown, Bucks county, a likely NEGROE man, about 20 years of age, about 5 feet 10 inches high, says he belongs to George Adam Widner, living in or near Reading, upon Schuylkill; has with him a drab cloth coat, with white lining, a vest of the same, a pair of old leather breeches, with trowsers over them, one white shirt, and one coarse ditto, and has a fiddle with him. His master is desired to come and pay charges, and take him away, by JOHN ANDERSON,

November 21, 1771. ¶ Goal-keeper.

RUN away, *on the 30th of October last, from the subscriber, living in Appoquiminy Hundred, New-Castle county, an Irish servant lad, named* RICHARD ANDREW, *about 19 years of age, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, short thick pale hair, of a fair complexion, long visaged, slow of speech; had on, when he went away, a new felt hat, coat, jacket and breeches, of blue kersey, brass knee buckles, brown and white mixed woollen stockings, good shoes, with carved brass buckles; very remarkable for having the two first letters of his name wrote in blue on the thumb of his right hand, pretends to weaving, but is not tractable. Whoever takes up said servant, and secures him in any of his Majesty's goals, so as his master may have him again, shall have* EIGHT DOLLARS *reward, and reasonable charges, paid by* JACOB M'COMBS. ¶

Just imported in the ship Britannia, Captain Falconer, and other vessels lately from England, and to be sold on the lowest terms, by

SAMUEL PLEASANTS,

At his store, in Water-street, the second door above Chestnut-street, Philadelphia,

A LARGE and general assortment of MERCHANDIZE, amongst which are a variety of coarse and fine broadcloths; double milled drabs; kerseys and plains; blue, green, red and cloth coloured halfthicks; blue, red and cloth coloured duffils; striped blanketing; forrest cloths; fine Bath coatings and frizes; white, green and cloth coloured baize; blue and grey fearnought; 7-8ths and 6-qr. naps and bearskins; 7-8ths and 6-qr. spotted swanskin; scarlet and red serges; red, scarlet and embossed flannels; superfine white flannels; striped linceys; 7-qr. 8-qr. and 9-qr. and 10-qr. rose blankets; worsted and hair plush; British and German ozenbrigs and ticklenburgs; brown roll and hessens; brown and white Russia and Irish sheetings; 7-8ths brown and white Irish and Dutch dowlas; Marseilles bed quilts; Venetian corded poplins; masqueraded ditto; striped and plain camblets; hairbines; broad and narrow dorsetteens; double and single worsted damask; shaloons and rattinets; durants and tammies; blue, green, pink, crimson and brown calimancoes; black and cloth coloured velvets and velverets; black and blue everlastings; black and blue serge denim; scarlet and cloth coloured cloaks and cardinals; yard-wide, 5-qr. and 6-qr. muslins and humhums; boys, youths, and mens felt hats; sailors bound ditto; white and brown Russia drilling; ravens duck; 3-qr. 7-8ths, and yard-wide Irish linens; 3-qr. 7-8ths, yard-wide, and yard 3-8ths linen and cotton checks; 3-qr. and 7-8ths English bed tick; 9-qr. and 10-qr. Flanders bed tick; wool, cotton and tow cards; F and FF gunpowder; shot; bar lead; frying pans; English steel, A. C. No. 3; 10d. 12d. and 20d. nails; pepper, &c. &c. &c.

Philadelphia, November 1, 1771.

DESERTED, on their march to Fort-Pitt, from his Majesty's 18th, or Royal Regiment of Foot of Ireland, and Captain Lord's company,

THOMAS MAGUIRE, aged 26 years, 5 feet 6½ inches high, born in Ireland, has short curled hair, a smooth face, and fresh complexion, is well made, and has been a servant to several gentlemen in Ireland.

ANDREW GRUB, aged 18 years, 5 feet 4½ inches high, a cooper, born in this city, has dark brown hair, grey eyes, fresh complexion, a down look, and stoops much in walking; enlisted at Lancaster.

LEONARD PRINTZELL, aged 21 years, 5 feet 5¾ inches high, a white-smith, born in Worms, in Germany, has dark brown hair, hazle eyes, and fresh complexion, is seemingly very quiet, and speaks but little English; enlisted at Lancaster.

ANDREW KANE, aged 18 years, 5 feet 6 inches high, born in Ireland, a labourer, has a smooth face, black hair, black eyes, a fresh complexion, and talks with the strong Irish accent.

JOHN HUNTER, about 23 years, 5 feet 6 inches high; enlisted in Baltimore, Maryland, where he resided some time; pretends to be a great jockey, and limps a little in his walk, he was (as he says) born in Norwich, in England, has brown hair, grey eyes, a fresh complexion, and remarkably hairy on his breast and legs.

Whoever apprehends and secures any of the above deserters, shall, by giving proper notice to Capt. BENJAMIN CHAPMAN, Paymaster to said Regiment, at Philadelphia, receive for each deserter, THREE POUNDS, Pennsylvania currency.

And as said deserters have robbed their poor brother soldiers, and have been guilty of many acts of villainy, it is hoped no honest man will harbour or protect them. ¶ 7f6.

Fairfax County, September 20, 1771.

TO BE SOLD,

IN VIRGINIA, Two Thirds of a Merchant GRIST-MILL, seated on an excellent stream of water, at the lower end of a fine farming county, about 8 miles above the Little Falls of Patowmack, and 18 or 20 miles from Alexandria, where the flour trade increases fast, and where many more merchants may probably find it their interest to settle, as wheat has generally been (if not always) cheaper there, and the West-India commodities and European goods dearer than in many towns to the northward of it. The mill has been built about two years, is well finished, and has two pair of stones, one pair of which being French burrs. Those who may be inclinable to purchase, may know the terms, by applying to the subscriber, and may get further information by applying to Mr. Robert Adam, merchant, in Alexandria, or to Mr. Jacob Gooding, who being disinterested, may give a satisfactory account as to the conveniencies and value of the said mill.

¶ 7f6. BRYAN FAIRFAX.

Talbot County, August 13, 1771.

ESCAPED from my custody, the 29th of July, a certain GEORGE KITCHEN, having been taken, on a precept, for debt; he is about 5 feet 8 inches high, about 28 years of age, of a fair but blotted complexion, born in England, and talks in the West country dialect, by trade a Wheelwright, stoops in his walk, and is very apt to get in liquor; had on, when he went away, a brown broadcloth coat and jacker, leather breeches, and a light grisle cut wig. Whoever takes up the said runaway, and secures him in any goal, so that the subscriber may have him again, shall receive *Three Pounds* reward; if brought to him, shall receive *Seven Pounds*, paid by

‖ 4 *W.* JOSEPH BRUSCUP, Goaler.

Baltimore, November 8, 1771.

For LONDONDERRY,

The SHIP *PRINCE of WALES*, THOMAS MORRISON, Master,

HAS two Thirds of her Cargoe engaged, and will be ready to sail early in December; she is a stout roomy Ship, sails fast, is well accommodated for Passengers, and the Master well acquainted with the Irish Coast. For Freight or Passage, apply to SAMUEL and ROBERT PURVIANCE, or to said Master on board the Ship, at Fell's Point. †4w.

This Day is published, and to be sold (Price Fifteen-pence) by WILLIAM and THOMAS BRADFORD, at their Bookstore, in Market-street, adjoining the London Coffee-house,

A DISSERTATION on the GOUT, and all CHRONIC DISEASES, jointly considered, as proceeding from the same Causes; what those Causes are; and a rational and natural Method of Cure proposed. Addressed to all Invalids. By WILLIAM CADOGAN, Fellow of the College of Physicians.

This Book is so much esteemed in England, that it has already passed through five Editions.---The Doctrines advanced in it are rational and philosophical, and are delivered in a familiar Stile, which renders them intelligible to Gentlemen of all Professions, as well as Physicians.

STRAYED or stolen out of the pasture of the subscriber, living in Cecil County, near Elk Meeting-House, on Wednesday night, the 16th of July last, a likely black mare, 14 hands high, a natural pacer, shod before, thin mane, and switch tail, branded on the near buttock AB in a piece. She has likewise a remarkable ring of white hairs round the pasture of one of her fore feet, as if formerly cut by a Hopple. Whoever takes up and secures said mare and thief, if stolen, so that the Owner may have the Mare again, and the thief brought to justice, shall have the above reward; but for the mare only *Twenty Shillings*, and reasonable charges, paid by

§ 4 W. JOHN LAWSON.

Baltimore, October 19, 1771.

HUDSON and LAWSON,

Have IMPORTED, in the last vessels from London, Liverpool and Bristol,

A Large and general assortment of European and East-India GOODS, suitable for the FALL SEASON, which will be sold on low terms, for cash, produce, or short credit. 6w

To be SOLD, at public VENDUE,

On Wednesday, the 10th of December next, on the premises,

TWO hundred acres of land, more or less, being part of New-Munster, in Cæcil county, Maryland, about 6 miles from the Head of Elk, and 8 from Christiana Bridge, with a good dwelling-house, barn, and out-houses, good orchard, meadows, &c.

One hundred and nine acres of land, more or less, called Alexander's lot, in the same county and province, and about one mile from the above land, with a good dwelling-house, out-houses, and orchard; also an overshot merchant mill, with two pair of mill stones, boulting-cloths, gears, chests, &c. Mr. Hugh Longwill, or William Alexander, on the premises, will shew them to any person applying.

Also to be sold at private sale, 120 acres, more or less, of woodland, situate in Baltimore county, near Perkin's ferry, on Susquehanna.

Three houses and lots, in Tawny Town, Frederick county, Mr. Jacob Good, of said town, will shew the said houses.---The title of the abovementioned lands and premises is indisputable. MARX ALEXANDER. ¶

THOMAS SHIELDS

ACQUAINTS his customers, and the public in general, that he has removed his shop to the 7th house above the Drawbridge, in Front Street, at the Golden Cup and Crown, where he continues carrying on the Goldsmith's business, in all its respective branches.---The said *Shields* hath for sale, a large and neat assortment of plate, and a variety of jewellery, of almost every kind, a large quantity of good silver watches, watch main springs and chrystals, plated spurs, bridle bitts, buckles, chapes and tongues, small tools, for Goldsmiths, which goods he will sell reasonable for cash; also gives the highest prices for old gold and silver.

N. B. All orders from town and country will be thankfully received, duly attended to, and carefully executed. ‖ 5 W.

TO BE SOLD,

On Saturday, the 30th day of November inst. at 12 o'clock, opposite the London Coffee-house,

FOUR VALUABLE NEGROES, belonging to the estate of SARAH GARDINER, deceased, three men, all brought up to farming, one aged 40, one 29, and one 24 years, the other a brisk lively woman, about 30 years old, used to country work. All persons indebted to said estate, are desired to make payment, and all that have any demands against the estate, are desired to bring in their accounts to ROBERT TOWERS, and WILLIAM SHUTE, Administrators. ¶

THIS is to give notice to the public, that there are now two men in Trenton goal, Hunterdon county; one of them committed by the name of *John Mooney*; who says his name is *John M'Kell*; it is thought he has run away from his bail, *John Megaw*, who advertised such a like man in the Pennsylvania Gazette, No. 2237. The other goes by the name of *John M'Fall*, and says he was left by his uncle, in the care of Carsan, Barclay, and Mitchell, merchants, in Front-street, Philadelphia. Any person or persons claiming right to both, or either of the abovementioned men, are hereby requested to come and relieve them from their confinement, otherwise they will be sold to pay costs, and goal fees, on Saturday, the 14th day of December, 1771, by PETER HANKINSON, Goaler. ¶

To be SOLD, by public VENDUE, on the

premises, on Second Day, the 16th day of December next,

A VALUABLE plantation and tract of 160 acres of good wheat land, situate in the township of Evesham, in the county of Burlington, West-Jersey, about 12 miles from Philadelphia, 7 miles from Burlington and Mount-holly, about 4 from an English church, and 2 miles from a Friends Meeting-house, in Moorestown, about a mile and an half to a grist-mill, and navigable landing on Rancocus Creek: There is on said plantation, a good one story framed house, two rooms on a floor, a good cellar under the whole, a well of good water near the door, a young bearing orchard of good fruit, about 120 acres cleared, and within fence, the remainder good timber land. Also to be sold at the same time, 21 acres of banked meadow, lying on said Rancocus Creek, about a mile and an half from the plantation, which will be divided into three lots. The whole is part of the estate of James Borden, deceased. Any person inclining to view the premises before the day of sale, may apply to John Cox, in Moorestown. The conditions will be made known at the time and place aforesaid; where attendance will be given, by JOHN COX, *and* JOHN CLARK, *Executors.* ¶ 4 W.

To be SOLD by BALDWIN and GILBERT,

At their store, the Corner of Vine and Front-streets, viz.

MADEIRA WINE, 3 years old, by the pipe or quarter cask; West-India rum; melasses; muscovado, loaf, and lump sugar; bohea tea; coffee, by the hogshead or lesser quantity; pepper; coarse and fine salt; pork; ginger; cotton; and the best Boston mackarel: They have likewise on hand, a large and general assortment of red cedar, where any person wanting board, plank or scantling, by applying, may have them sawed to any dimensions. *N. B.* They have likewise on hand, the following goods, imported in the ship Mary and Elizabeth, James Sparks, from London, viz. Black mantua's, black peelong, a large assortment of sewing silk, book muslin, cotton romals and bandanoe handkerchiefs, India calicoes, Scotch ozenbrigs, and a pair of burr mill-stones. ¶ 8 W.

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